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## School Law Is Signed

### Broad Program Gets Underway to Shuffle Districts, Modernize Them

JEFFERSON CITY, May 21 —(AP)— Missouri got a 1948 model school modernization law today.

Gov. Phil M. Donnelly signed the key bill in a broad program to shuffle Missouri's local school districts and bring them up to date.

Sponsors have called it the most important work of the 1948 legislature.

It lets counties set up six-member boards of education to plan the new districts and bring them before the public for a vote. The state board of education will help in an advisory role but the main job will be in the hands of the county boards.

The new law takes effect July 18 and the local boards must be established within 60 days after that. They will have until May 1, 1949, to draw up their plans for reorganizing school districts on modern lines.

**Special Elections Possible**

Special elections will be called after the state board approves the plans. If they are rejected by the state board the county board must submit its own plan at the November, 1949, election.

If the plan fails to get a popular majority, the board has to try again within two years .

To encourage redistricting into larger units, the state will give any enlarged district up to $25,000 on the cost of a new school building.

An earlier section would have penalized any district failing to reorganize by stripping away its state aid. But the penalty section was cut out during the bill's controversial journey through the legislature.

**Developed by Joint Committee**

The bill was developed by a joint house and senate education committee of which Sen. C. R. Hawkins (R) of Brumley was the chairman. The committee had the help of a citizens' advisory group and the two groups worked a year on the plan.

The bill was attacked bitterly by legislators from northern Missouri rural areas who charged it was premature. They urged delay until mud roads can be replaced by all-weather routes.

The bill says roads and other geographical features must be taken into account by any county board in its survey of reorganization needs.

When a conference committee finally straightened out the last tangles in the closing hours of the legislative sessions, Hawkins called it a milestone in Missouri school history.

**Companion Bills**

Companion bills signed by the governor last week set up a reorganization section in the state department of education to work with the local boards. They also require local districts to levy constitutional maximum taxes before being eligible for state aid.

Studies by the committees which developed the program showed wide inequality in the amounts of tax money paid by school patrons in different parts of the state. Assessed valuations must be surveyed by the local boards as part of their reorganizing job.

Also signed today was a bill described by Sen. David E. Horn (R) of St. Louis, one of its sponsors, as strengthening Missouri adoption laws. It requires investigation of children and parents under court supervision before any adoption can be legalized.

It also contains provisions designed to protect children born out of wedlock.

## Truckers Gain Rate Increase

JEFFERSON CITY, May 21.—(AP)—Truckers carrying household goods in Missouri gained a rate increase today estimated at $190,000 a year.

The Missouri Public Service Commission granted increases amounting to about 20 per cent—10 per cent less than the truckers proposed. Missouri has about 75 motor carriers who specialize in moving household goods and about 300 general commodity carriers who handle some household moving.

The new rates affect only shipments between points in the state and do not cover hauls within a city.

**Moberly Man a Suicide**

MOBERLY, Mo., May 21.—(AP)—Milton B. Robinson, 67, was found dead last night, his body suspended from a clothesline in his garage.

Dr. R. N. Newby, county coroner, said the man had committed suicide, although the family could ascribe no reason for the act.

**Fishing Looks Good**

JEFFERSON CITY, May 21—(AP)—It looks like another good weekend for Lake of the Ozarks fishermen, the State Conservation Commission reported today.

## *Drilling Fertilizer on Sweet Clover for Corn*



Thos. J. Ream (center foreground) of Hughesville, route 1, is supervising the application of 400 pounds of fertilizer per acre on second year sweet clover preparatory to plowing the ground for corn. He is being assisted by Gene Wagner (right) who has worked for Mr. Ream for the last 8 years. This 35 acre field yielded 60 bushels of corn in 1946 and Mr. Ream is hoping for higher yields this year. The amount an dkind of fertilizer to use was found by analyzing soil samples from the field which Mr. Ream, who is a member of the Pettis County Balanced Farming Association, took to the County Extension Office. The fertilizer being used includes 100 pounds of 46 percent super phosphate, 200 pounds of 3-12-4 and 100 pounds of 21 percent ammonium sulphate, per acre. After this fertilizer and the fine stand of sweet clover is plowed under, an additional 100 pounds of 3-12-4 will be applied in the row. (Photo by Merle Vaughan, Associate County Agent.)

## Grandmother's Money Was a Worry to Boy

### So He And Chums Decided to Use it To Buy Horses

CHICAGO, May 21—(AP)— Five teen-age boys, whose cowboy careers were nipped by police, anxiously awaited the arrival of their parents today from Ohio.

Police spent two hours last night, sorting, stacking and counting piles of bills and silver found on the youths. It totaled almost $4,500.

Detective Daniel Kenny quoted the smallest boy, Kenneth Byer, 12, as saying he took a pile of money from his grandmother's secret hoard to finance the trip. He said he hadn't counted the money because "it was too much trouble." His grandmother reported $6,000 missing.

Kenny said young Byer told him "I saw her put some money into a cigar box in her room three weeks ago. Pretty soon it began to bother me."

**Decided to go West**

The detective pieced together the following story of the trip:

Kenneth decided Wednesday to go west. He called four chums and told them: "I've got enough money for all of us. We'll go to Arizona and buy horses."

The group reached Chicago by train yesterday morning. Having a good part of the day to wait for a train to Arizona, they spent a pleasant afternoon eating, seeing shows and shopping. Of the $1,500 they spent, part went for their train tickets and entertainment and the remainder for what they considered the only proper garments to wear in the west.

These consisted of fancy shirts, tall hats, cowboy boots and wide belts ablaze with rhinestones.

**Police Were Busy**

Meanwhile, police had been busy. A complaint telling of the boys' disappearance and the missing money was received here.

Detectives Kenny and Joseph Newman began a check of railroad stations. At the LaSalle street depot, they spotted five boys similar in age to the lads sought. But the boys' clothing bore no resemblance to the drab apparel described as having been worn by the runaways.

As an experiment, Detective Kenny said in a loud voice:

"I wonder how things are in Lakewood."

The boys blushed, looked embarrassed and tried to appear unconcerned. A few minutes later, however, they admitted their identities and were on their way to the police station.

## *S-C Representative*



**Walter L. Walker, Erie, Pa., Supreme Conductor, United Commercial Travelers, the supreme council representative attending the 59th annual convention of the Missouri Grand Council, now in session in Sedalia.**

## *She Wore Her Nightgown To the Opera*

LONDON, May 21—(AP)—Reporter Joan Reeder wrote in the Daily Mirror today she wore her nightgown to the Paris opera and that Princess Elizabeth and the other customers never knew the difference.

Joan, 25, was sent to Paris on short notice last week to report the visit of Elizabeth and Prince Philip. She got an unexpected invitation to the opera, but had no evening gown.

She wore instead a pink and black nightgown with a bare midriff. It being Paris, no one noticed, she wrote.

"There were new looks everywhere but the looks I got were the most old-fashioned in the world," she commented.

## Tax Collector Looking for Jesse James

ST. JOSEPH, May 21—(AP)—If Jesse James is alive, there's one man here who would like to see him.

It's a matter of back taxes running back to 1881.

Informed that a Lawton, Okla., man had revealed he was the one and onlq Jesse James, county collector Clifton Hurst did some checking.

"Our records fail to show that any Thomas Howard, the name under which Mr. James lived in St. Joseph, paid taxes for 1881," Hurst said.

"We know he owned at least one horse and two guns. That would make his tax valuation at least $350 x x x .

"The tax rate for 1881 was $2.25. Then there is a matter of penalties. The total penalty would be 665 per cent, plus the collector's fee.

"I feel certain that Mr. James being a man of honor would not contend that he is exempt from the payment of the tax because of the statute of limitations."

**Judge Looking for Him Too**

And after James talks things over with Hurst he might step over to see Probate Judge Stephen K. Owen.

Judge Owen did some checking too. He found that his records fail to show that the costs for administering the James estate ever were paid.

James would get one break, however. Ray Chitwood, manager of the Jesse James hotel, said if the former outlaw could prove he was the real Jesse James "we'll throw him a dinner party and give him use of the bridal suite for three days."

"He can even keep his horse in the suite with him if he wants," manager of the James hostelry added.

## *The Weather*

Central Missouri: Increasing cloudiness, with a few scattered thunderstorms tonight. Clearing and cooler Saturday. Low tonight near 60. High Saturday in upper 70s.

Temperature: 7 a. m. 59 degrees; 3 p. m. 85 degrees.

Lake of the Ozarks: 3.8; no change.

Sun rise 6:56 a. m. Sun set 7:24 p. m.

Full moon May 22; last quarter May 30.

### *Thought For Today*

Pay as little attention to discouragement as possible. Plow ahead as a steamer does, rough or smooth — rain or shine. To carry your cargo and make your port is the point.—Maltbie Babcock.

## Annual Garden Club Flower Show Saturday

### Begins at 1 P.M. At Convention Hall, In Liberty Park

Convention hall at Liberty park is buzzing with activity today in preparation for the Flower Show, which will be held Saturday from 1 to 10:30 p. m. sponsored by the Sedalia Garden club. Two other separate shows will be in connection with the Flower Show; the Antique and Hobby Show in the south room of the building and the Junior Garden club show in the north room. There will be no admission charge.

The main auditorium will be devoted entirely to the Flower Show with the center as a wedding garden scene, with a bride standing beneath a rose arbor. The scene will be about 14x16 feet with evergreen and flowers and there will also be a bride's table.

In the northeast corner of the room will be the bird exhibit which will give a great deal of information about birds with the birds' nests, houses and feeders.

**School Orchestra to Play**

The Broadway school orchestra under the direction of Miss Florence Hert, will be in the northwest corner of the room.

In the southwest corner will be the tea garden, a restful nook with garden tables and chairs and flowers.

The Blue Star Memorial highway exhibit will be in the southeast corner of the room and will be a miniature reproduction of the highway in tribute to the men and women who served in World War II, which will extend across the nation both east and west and north and south, along which will be wayside picnic grounds. Highway 50, through Sedalia, will be part of the Blue Star highway.

**Garden Circle Booths**

In the front of the room will be booths of the eight garden circles with flower arraingements and wedding breakfast tables and along the sidewalls will be artistic arrangement of flowers against a background.

Streamers in rainbow shades of crepe paper will be festooned from the center of the ceiling to the side walls. The decorating was done by senior boys from Smith-Cotton

The garden center will be in the entire front corridor where may be found all implements, seeds, bulbs, garden furniture, bird baths and various other things for a garden. They will be loaned by various merchants for the show.

The junior department will have misplays of their flowers, table settings attractive to children and scrapbooks and bird houses.

The Antique and Hobby Show will have booths in which hobbies and antiques with a story of their history.

Music for the afternoon will start at 2:00 o'clock by the junior Garden club Rhythm Band from Washington school in charge of Mrs. T. E. Gasperson, Mrs. Paul Berthouex and Mrs. A. L. Pringle.

From 3 to 4 o'clock the orchestra from Broadway school will play under the direction of Miss Florence Hert, Miss Edith Couey and Mrs. A. R. Bratten.

At 7:30 o'clock the Singing Scouts under the direction of Mrs. A. R. Beach, will entertain.

At 8 o'clock a Style Show, featuring summer styles, sport and garden clothes, afternoon and evening frocks will take place. Mrs. W. L. Monegan will be the accompanist.

During intermission Mrs. Monegan and her group of musicians, Mrs. Archie Wilson, Mrs. Donald Donath and Mrs. Sterling Griffith, will play.

**Saturday Maritime Day**

JEFFERSON CITY, May 21—(AP)—Tomorrow is National Maritime Day in Missouri by proclamation of Gov. Phil M. Donnelly.

## Fifth Graders Steal Plane, Then Pilot it

### Knew How From Reading of Planes In Comic Books

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 21—(AP)—Two fifth-graders who studied flying in comic books confessed to the state patrol last night they piloted a stolen plane almost to Texas.

"There is no doubt about it," the patrol said.

The plane was a two-place Ercoupe with simplified controls advertised as nearly foolproof.

"They said it was easy," Trooper Arch Hamilton said.

"They'd looked at some comic books that told all about it. They thought we were silly not to know how.

"They made a perfect landing."

Astonishment at the 120-mile flight — air distance — almost drowned out talk of a juvenile court hearing tomorrow.

**Parents Astounded**

"It's incredible. . . I am astounded. This is more than mere mischief," one of the fathers, Attorney Burney P. Bodard, said.

The grade school aviators are Jimmy Bodard, 11, and Robert Ronald Peterson, 12. Both families are prominent here. Robert, the largest, weighs 85 pounds.

Troopers cracked the case when all evidence pointed to an unbelievable but unescapable conclusion.

Jimmy and Robert played hooky from school Monday and were reported missing the next day. Tuesday night they were picked up in the little western Oklahoma town of Cheyenne, due west of here and 18 miles from the Texas Panhandle. They told a likely story of hitch-hiking by road and Wednesday their folks brought them back home.

**Abandoned in Field**

But yesterday the sheriff of Roger Mills county found the Ercoupe abandoned in a field eight miles northwest of Cheyenne.

Inspectors from the CAA traced the numbers to Ted Goller, former Ercoupe dealer at the downtown airpark here. It hadn't been seriously missed.

"I knew it was gone but I thought Goller had it out," said Bob Fitzgerald, assistant airpark manager.

Sgt. Otis Halton and Trooper Arch Hamilton took the case and linked the two Cheyenne incidents.

"When we put it to them they broke down and told us all about it," Hamilton said.

**Their Account**

Here is his account of what the boys said to him:

"They hung around the airpark Monday afternoon and slept in a Cessna plane in a hangar that night. They fooled around Tuesday, and at 5 p. m. pushed the Ercoupe out onto the runway, fired up and took off.

"They said they took turns flying and didn't have any trouble. They said it bounced a little when they landed in a farm field. But when they tried to taxi they hit soft dirt and the under carriage buckled.

"Then they took the farmer's saddle horse and rode near town, turned the horse loose and walked on in. The sheriff got them."

Bodard said he thought the Peterson boy did most of the flying.

"I don't know what to believe. I can't say I'm proud of Jimmy. . . . I've got to think this one out," he said.

But Hamilton admitted a certain admitted a certain admiration.

"They'd read all about it in gang books and comic magazines," he repeated, wonderingly.

"They knew just what to do."

## Jesse James, Trouble Maker

CHICAGO, May 21.—(AP)—Jesse James, the trouble maker, is up to his old tricks.

Back in the 70's he was a king-sized headache to the forces of law and order.

Today—if he's still alive as reported—he will be just as big a headache to publishers of textbooks and encyclopedias.

J. Morris Jones, managing editor of the World Book Encyclopedia, is one of the many editors stewing over the possibility that James' death report was 66 years premature.

His concern just spent $2,000,000 on a new edition which says Jesse was killed in 1882, and corrections are expensive.

Jones said if the report of James continued existence stands up for several weeks, E. E. Dale, Oklahoma University's historian, probably will be asked to look into the subject.

A long list of educational publications are faced with the same problem.

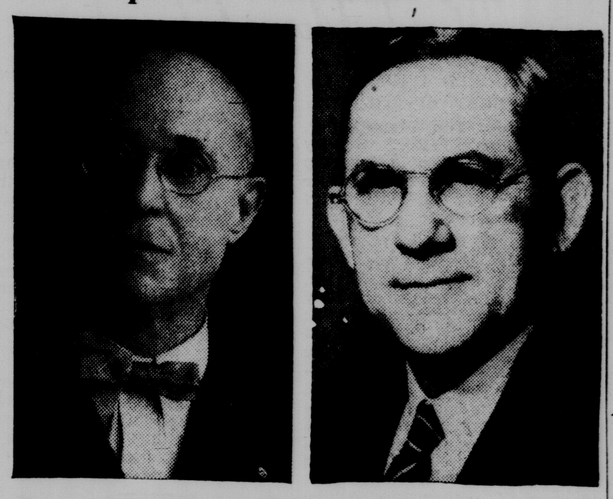
The Lawton (Okla.) Constitution claims it has "undisputable proof" James is alive. The paper said another man, not James, was shot to death in James' home, St. Joseph, Mo., in 1882.

**Blames Russia**

SANTIAGO, Chile, May 21—(AP)—President Gabriel Gonzale Videla accuesd Russia today of "obstinate resistance" to any possible solution of world problems.

He placed Chile firmly on the side of the western powers against "Communist Aggression." He said she will fulfill the obligation agreed upon at the recent Bogota Pan American Conference to "prevent and eradicate subversive activities inspired from abroad."

## *Past Supreme Counselors UCT*



**The Grand Jurisdiction of Missouri, United Commercial Travelers, has two living Past Supreme Counselors, Fred S. Stratmann (left) and Frank J. Roeser (right) both holding memberships in St. Louis Council. This is the first session in 53 years Mr. Roeser is not in attendance, his health did not permit him coming to Sedalia this year.**

## Important Events In The World Today

WASHINGTON, May 21—(AP)—The Senate today upheld President Truman's veto of a bill which would have permitted qualified senators to order an FBI investigation of key atomic energy appointees.

The action kills the bill.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 21—(AP)—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey and Harold E. Stassen came to an end of the Oregon political trail today in their race for Oregon's Republican Presidential favor.

It was a photo finish to a furious and sometimes acrimonious three weeks of campaigning.

Neither the New Yorker nor the Minnesotan was bold enough to claim victory in advance of today's voting.

WITHIN THE OLD CITY OF JERUSALEM, May 21—(AP)—The Trans-Jordan Arab Legion shelled Haganah machinegun posts at the Hadassah hospital and Hebrew University on Mount Scopus for the second time today and demanded surrender of 400 Jewish fighters.

WASHINGTON, May 21—The headquarters of the strategic air command will be transferred from Andrews Field, Maryland, to Offutt Base near Omaha, the Air Force announced today.

The strategic air command directs long range bomber striking forces. The headquarters is the nerve and direction center for these forces.

The Air Force said the move will be completed within 90 days.

WASHINGTON, May 21—(AP)—John L. Lewis gave a cold shoulder today to the mine operators' invitation to resume talks on a new coal mining contract.

The chief of the United Mine Workers sent reporters word that he had no comment on the invitation and would not reply to it immediately.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—(AP)—President Truman will ask Congress in a special message to extend benefit of the social security law.

Senator Barkley (D-Ky), Senate minority leader, said after a White House conference today that the message will go to Capital Hill within a few days.

**Latchaw Estate**

KANSAS CITY, May 21.—(AP)—An estate of $294,584 was left by the late D. Austin Latchaw, 87, who died last January after a long career as editor, critic and editorial writer for the Kansas City Star. An inventory of the estate was filed in probate court yesterday.

**James Kabler Gets Letter**

The name of James Kabler was omitted in the list of Smith-Cotton high school students receiving the letter "S" in music in Wednesday night's Democrat.

## Funeral Rites For Priest, Friend of Boys

### Father Flanagan Buried in Chapel At Boys Town

BOYS TOWN, Neb., May 21 (AP)—Youth of all races and creeds paid last respects today to their great friend and benefactor—the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Edward J. Flanagan, founder and director of world-famous Boys Town.

Dowd Memorial Chapel on the grounds of the haven for homeless and neglected boys was prepared to receive the body after two solemn masses of requiem said by priests of the Omaha archdiocese.

The body of Father Flanagan, who once said "I have yet to find a single boy who wants to be bad," will rest in a sarcophagus in the northeast corner of the chapel.

The Rev. Edmund C. Walsh, acting director of Boys Town, said Father Flanagan had asked to be buried in the chapel "so I can be near the boys and they can come and visit me."

**Have Marble Slab**

A marble slab, on which is engraved "Father Flanagan, founder of Boys Town, lover of Christ and man, July 13, 1886-May 15, 1948" will seal the stone sarcophagus.

Father Walsh disclosed early today that since the body was brought home from Berlin, where Father Flanagan died, more than 15,000 persons had filed past the bier.

The body of Father Flanagan, attired in the robes of a monsignor, lay in a solid bronze casket, opened full length.

The sentiment of the 450 boys at the home was expressed by Eddie Dunn, the 29th mayor of Boys Town, who called Father Flanagan "Our greatest friend and benefactor."

**Burglar As Scared As His Victim**

BIRMINGHAM, England, May 21.—(AP)—Trembling, Miss Jane Underhill, 57, told a Birmingham court she sat petrified while a holdup man threatened her with a knife and ransacked her home.

"But," she told the court, "he suddenly turned on me and said: 'I am just as frightened as you are, really.'"

There was a thud in the dock. James Battle, 34, accused of the holdup, had fainted.

**Chosen As Peacemaker**

LAKE SUCCESS, May 21—(AP)—A former gobetween for Germany and the Allies begins today the hazardous task of trying to restore peace to Palestine.

He is Count Folke Bernadotte, 53-year-old president of the Swedish Red Cross. He was chosen by the five great powers last night as the United Nations peacemaker for the Holy Land.

The United Nations Security Council, meanwhile, hoped to vote today on what to do about the Arab-Jewish war in Palestine.

## Railroad Meetings Are Over

### Negotiations to Settle Labor Dispute Break up In Failure Today

WASHINGTON, May 21—(AP)—Negotiations to settle the 11-month-old railroad labor dispute broke up today.

No further meetings are scheduled, it was announced after four days of talks between railroad operators and heads of the Engineers, Firemen, and Switchmen.

Alvanley Johnston, head of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, told reporters:

"We've been endeavoring to reach an agreement with the railroads and we have failed. I do not care to comment beyond that."

The government siezed the railroads last week because the three unions had called a strike. After the seizure, the Justice Department got a court order against a walkout. The unions then recalled their strike order.

**Trying to Settle**

With the railroads thus technically in government hands, management and the unions have been trying to settle their wage dispute. A settlement would let the government return the railroads to management.

The court order against a strike will run out May 29—unless renewed.

D. P. Loomis, representing the Western Railroad companies, told reporters when today's fruitless session ended:

**Working Rules the Problem**

"Let's put it this way. The railroads are not willing to go beyond the recommendations of the president's fact finding board. The employes are not willing to accept that report."

The president's board recommended a wage rise of 15½ cents an hour and certain changes in working rules. Most of the changes would increase the workers' "take home" pay. The unions first asked a 30 per cent wage increase, but agreed finally to the 15½ cents proposed by the president's board. The settlement efforts broke down over failure to get together on working rules.

## Six Escapees From Boonville

JEFFERSON CITY, May 21.—(AP)—Six inmates of the State Training School for Boys at Boonville escaped last night, bringing the two-day total to eight.

Three of the latest fugitives were caught within a short time.

Still at large, the Highway Patrol said this morning, were Alvin Coad, 14, Ironton, serving three years for burglary and larceny; Gaylord Forrest, 15, Kansas City, five years for delinquency, and Thomas Allen Edwards, 14, two years for delinquency in St. Louis county.

The other boys who fled in a rowboat yesterday were captured after they were isolated on a Missouri river island.

The six who fled last night got away after breaking a lock of the door of the dormitory where they were quartered.

The three who were retaken had attempted to flee in a rowboat on the Missouri river. However, they were seen by an employe of the Army Engineers who overtook them in a motorboat and returned them to the school.

## Fall From Roof Kills Marshall Man

MARSHALL, Mo., May 21.—(AP)—David L. Cooper, 85, a retired clothing merchant, died late yesterday in a fall from the porch roof of a local hotel. Cooper had been in ill health for several years.

Survivors include a son, G. L. Cooper, Louisiana, Mo.; two daughters, Mrs. B. B. Bridges, Kansas City, and Miss Catherine Cooper of Marshall, and a granddaughter, Mrs. Cobert G. Cowan, Ash Grove, Mo.

Funeral services will be held here tomorrow.

## Mine Collapses; Six Miners Killed

DANTE, Va., May 21.—(AP)—Grim and sweat-streaked rescue crews early today brought to the surface the last of six miners killed last night after a roof section collapsed in the Clinchfield Coal Company's No. 2 mine.

Tons of coal, earth and debris buried the miners alive as they worked in the mine tunnel four miles underground. There was no explosion.

Four other miners, working some 400 yards away in the corridor, were injured, but only slightly, in the accident.

**Agreement Signed**

CHICAGO, May 21—(AP)— The threat of a strike at 12 plants of the International Harvester Company for at least five weeks was removed last night as the company and CIO Farm Equipment Union officials signed an agreement to extend contracts to June 28.

## *Order of United Commercial Travelers Now 60 Years Old*

The Order of United Commercial Travelers of America has just closed its 60 years of existance. It was back in the early part of 1888 the order, as a fraternal and beneficial organization received its charter from the State of Ohio and established headquarters at Columbus, Ohio. That city from the beginning of the order has been the Supreme Council headquarters. From the original eight members, the order has flourished during these 60 years. Today it has a membership of 147,541 and is licensed to operate in 46 states and six provinces.

The Missouri Grand Jurisdiction of the order, the 57th annual session now being held here in Sedalia, was the second, out of the 30 Grand jurisdictions to receive its charter from the Supreme Council, and today has local councils in addition to Sedalia, at St. Joseph, Kansas City, St. Louis with two councils, Chillicothe, Hannibal, Mexico, Springfield, Joplin, Carthage, Poplar Bluff, Nevada, Cape Girardeau, Jefferson City, Macon and Aurora.

Sedalia Council No. 47 is one of the early councils of the order receiving its charter in 1894 and is therefore 54 years old. The sessions now in progress is the ninth time Sedalia council has been host to the Grand Council of Missouri. The first time was in 1895 the year following the receiving of its charter and then in 1903, 1919, 1922, 1929, 1933, 1938 and in 1947.

The order of United Commercial Travelers of America has paid out in these 60 years to the widows and orphans of its departed members over $3,000,000.00 for the relief of women and children whose support was taken from them by natural, rather than by accidental means, and for death or loss of time by accidental means, has paid out over $33,000,000.00.

# Sedalia Churches Invite You For Sunday Worship

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## Attend Your Church

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST of Latter Day Saints, Ninth and Montgomery. Nelson Pugh, pastor. Sunday school 9:45. Morning worship services 10:45. Guest speaker Sunday morning Clifford Long of Independence, Mo.

CALVARY EPISCOPAL, Broadway and Ohio. Rev. J. E. Merrick, rector. Services: 8:00 a. m. Holy Communion; 9:45 Sunday school; 11:00 a. m. the Rt. Rev. Robert Nelson Spencer, bishop of the Diocese of West Missouri will administer the Rite of Confirmation, 7:30. Evening prayer. The Woman's Auxiliary will meet in the Parish Hall on Tuesday at 1 p. m. There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion on Thursday at 10 a. m. Choir practice will be held on Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

CALVARY BAPTIST, Broadway and Moniteau. Rev. Morgan Beach, pastor. In the absence of the pastor, who with Mrs. Beach, is in Memphis, Tenn., attending the Southern Baptist Convention, the morning worship hour will be under the direction of the Woman's Missionary Union. The evening worship hour will be led by men of the Brotherhood. Good programs are being planned and a spiritual feast awaits all who attend. Bible school at the regular hour 9:30 a. m. with the worship hour 10:45 a. m. B. T. U. 6:45 p. m. Evening worship hour 8:00. prayer meeting Wednesday evening 8:00 with the adult choir practice 9:00. Lindsey Circle visitation Thursday afternoon. Preparation day for Vacation Bible school Friday afternoon at the church. Junior choir practice Saturday afternoon 3:00.

TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN, Tenth street at Osage avenue. Rev. C. Arthur Freeberg, pastor; Mrs. Elmer England, organist. Sunday school classes will meet at 9:30 a. m. Elmer Sterling, superintendent. The worship service will be held at 10:45 a. m. The pastor will preach on the topic, "Building to Glorify God."

FIRST METHODIST, Fourth and Osage. J. F. King, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Morning worship 10:30. Sermon subject, "Working With God." Youth Fellowship meets in the Chapel at 7:00 p. m. Evening worship 8:00. Sermon subject "Setting Our Own Boundries.'

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN, Broadway and Kentucky. Herman M Janssen, pastor; T. R. Snow, Sunday school superintendent; Mrs. H. C. Johnson, choir director; Miss Dorothy Ann Reed, organist. Sunday school sessions 9:45 a. m. Service of worship 10:45 a. m. (Nursery in primary rooms). Junior sermon story, "The Unseen Comrade." Sermon subject, "The Law of Harvest." Anthems, "The Sower" Lorenz; "Nature's Anthem of Praise" Sullivan-Shepherd. Westminster Youth Fellowship 6:30 p. m. Sunday at the home of the Schondelmeyers, 1835 West Third street.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD, Sixth and Emmett streets. Rev. L. W. Wilson, pastor. Revival now in progress with Thelma Nickel, evangelist. Saturday night, May 22, special service starting at 8 p. m. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Morning worship 11:00. Sunday night evangelistic service 8:00 and every night next week.

FIFTH STREET METHODIST, Fifth and Osage streets. H. U. Campbell, D. D., minister. Church school 9:30 a. m. Missionary Sunday with all of the offering for missions. Paul Benson, adult superintendent. Morning worship 10:30. Mrs. Mae Moser, organist, will play, "The Voice of Jesus" by Lorenz and "Moonlight Sonata" by Beethoven. Anthem by the choir directed by Mrs. George Lovercamp. Sermon subject, "You Gotta Get a Glory." Methodist Youth Fellowship 6:30 p. m. with David Eisenstein and Bert Hathaway sponsors. Guest soloist Sunday morning Mrs. A. H. Bratten.

BETHEL: Sunday school at 10 o'clock and services at 11 o'clock. Clarence Steele will be there for both services.

SACRED HEART, Third street and Massachusetts avenue. Father A. J. Brunswick, C. PP. S., pastor. Sunday masses: 6:00 a. m., 8:00 a. m., 9:30 a. m., 11:00 a. m. Weekday, 6:15 a. m., 7:30 a. m., 8:15 a. m.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERian, Seventeenth and Harrison. E. S. Brummet, pastor. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Morning service 11:00. Evening service 8:00 p. m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENCE: Sixth and Lamine Sunday school is held at 9:30 a. m. for persons under the age of 20. Sunday services.

Subject: "Soul and Body." Golden text: II Corinthians 6:16. What agreement hath the temple of God with idols? for ye are the temple of the living God.

Wednesday evening testimonial meetings are at 8. The public is invited to enjoy the privileges of the reading room located at the same building, entrance on Sixth street. It is open to the public each afternoon from 2:00 to 4:00, except Sundays and holidays, also after the Wednesday evening meetings. The Bible and the writings of Mary Baker Eddy and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read at this room.

ST. PATRICK'S, Fourth street and Washington avenue. Father T. J. Nolan, pastor. Sunday mass 8:00 a. m. and 10:00 a. m. Weekday mass 8:00 a. m. Holy days 7:00 a. m. and 9:00 a. m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS: 517 South Lafayette. Sunday school 10 a. m. Missionary meet 7 p.m. Sacrament and preaching 7:30 p. m. K. B. Rowlette, branch president.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST: Eleventh and Lafayette. Services every Saturday morning. Sabbath school at 9:45 and church at 11.

GOODWILL CIRCUIT of Methodist churches: Rev. Carl Opp, pastor. Goodwill Chapel, May 23: Church school 10:00 a. m. Charles Leiter superintendent. Divine worship 11:00 a. m. Children's tak and sermon. Youth Fellowship 7:30 p. m. in charge of Edna Mae Kroeger. Divine worship 8:00 p. m. Church school sessions will also be held at the following qoints on May 23, at 10:00 a. m.: Pleasant Hill, Dresden and New Bethel. Fifth Sunday meeting, May 30, will be held at the Pleasant Hill church. Church school 10:00 a. m. Divine worship 11:00 a. m. Contributive dinner 12:00. Memorial service at 2:00 p. m.

EPWORTH METHODIST, Broadway at Engineer street. Ralph Hurd, the minister. Church school at 9:30. The general superintendent, Paul Jenkins, will be in charge. Morning worship at 10:30. The Larket choir will bring a group of The Psalms, in song and recitation. The adult chorus will sing, "The One Hundred Twenty-first Psalm." Mrs. De Lozier will be at the organ. The minister's morning message will be based on one of the Psalms. Youth Fellowship at 7:00. Evening worship at 8:00. On Wednsday, chorus practice at 7:00, Bible study with visual aids at 8:00.

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED, Fourth and Vermont streets. William C. Bessmer, pastor; Miss Lillian Fox, director of music; Lloyd Satterwhite, superintendent of church school. Sunday, May 23: Church school classes for all ages 9:30 a. m. Worship 10:35 a. m. Sermon: "Education For Life." The youth choir will sing, "Lest We Forget" by Marsh. The adult choir will sing, "Jubilate Deo' 'by Shilling. Young people graduating from high school will be special guests. The youth choir meets Wednesday, 5:30 p. m. Adult choir meets Wednesday 7:30 p. m. The Mary Martha Circle meets at the home of Mrs. Jack Morris, 518 West Fourth street, Thursday, 2:00 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN, Seventh and Massachusetts. Edgar L. Knight, minister; Mrs. H. O. Foraker, director of music; Virgil Herrick, superintendent of Sunday school. Sunday school 9:30. Morning worship 10:40. Sermon, "The Carpenter Hangs Up His Saw." Solo, "The Good Shepherd" Van De Water, David Mahnken. Anthem, "A Benediction' Hamblen, choir.

EAST BROADWAY CHRISTIAN, 1220 East Broadway. Rev. J. W. Watts, minister; W. H. Swift, superintendent of Bible school; Miss Catherine Garman, pianist; Miss Nellie White, choir director. Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 10:45. Subject of sermon, "Christ For The World."

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN, Missouri Synod, Broadway and Massachusetts, Herman H. Heidbreder, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Divine services at 10:30 a. m., with Prof. E. C. Weiss, of Concordia, Mo., as speaker. Holy Communion will be celebrated during this service. Deaf mute services will be conducted in the afternoon at 3:15 by the Rev. Alvin Ferber of Kansas City, Mo.

FAITH TABERNACLE, Saline and Engineer. Rev Sidney K. Mabry, pastor; Violet Mabry, Sunday school superintendent. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Morning worship 11:00. Rev. Virgil McDaniels of Kansas City will be speaking at the morning and night services. Young People's League 6:45 p. m. Sunday night's service at 8:00 o'clock. Mid-week services Wednesday and Friday.

FIRST BAPTIST, Sixth and Lamine. Thomas W. Croxton, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. W. L. Reed, superintendent. Morning worship 10:40 with message by John R. Rollins on the subject, "The Song of God." Special music will be a vocal solo by Miss Audrey Jean Parker, Mrs. Clyde Williams at the organ. Training Union 6:45 p. m. O. R. Catron, general director. Departments for every age group. Evening worship 8:00 p. m. with preaching by John R. Rollins on the subject: "What It Means to Be Lost." Special music will be furnished by the choir. A nursery is available for the children up to five years of age.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE, Twenty-fourth and Ohio streets. Rev. E. T. Kelley, pastor; Mrs. E. T. Kelley, superintendent; Mrs. Tom Butts, junior department superintendent. Sunday school 9:45. Morning worship 11:00. Message by Evangelist Charles Johnson. P. Y. P. A.'s meet at 6:45 p. m. with their president, Junior Davidson in charge. This is the last Sunday of the contest. The men are in charge. Sunday night the revival meeting continues with Rev. and Mrs. Charles Johnson of Ada, Okla., as the evangelists. These people are better known as the Singing Indians, nationally known evangelists. Services each night at 7:45 except Saturday.

CONGREGATIONAL - PRESBYTERIAN, corner Sixth and Osage streets. R. C. Williamson, D. D., minister; Miss Mabel DeWitt, organist and director of music; Mrs. W. C. Housel, superintendent of Sunday school; A. M. Hoffman, assistant. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Morning worship service 10:30 a. m. Sermon theme, "Significant Introductions." Anthem, "He Smiled On Me" music by Geoffrey O'Hara, arranged by Kenneth Downing, words a poem by Daniel S. Twohig, by the choir.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, Fourteenth street and Stewart avenue. Services Lord's day morning beginning 10:30. Bible lesson fourth chapter II Timothy. Communion 11:30 a. m. Evening service 7:30 devoted to selected scripture reading, memory verses and singing. Communion at the evening service for those unable to attend morning service.

EAST SEDALIA BAPTIST, 1019 East Fifth. Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor. Sunday school 9:30. Roy A. Shoe, superintendent. Morning worship service, with pastor in the pulpit. Training Union 6:45. Mrs. J. W. Mickens, director. Evening evangelistic service 8:00. On Friday afternoon May 28 at 1:30 will be Vacation Bible school enrollment and preparation day; at 9:00 a. m. Tuesday, June 1, will be the opening day of two weeks Vacation Bible school.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD, Sixth and Summit streets. Bird H. Campbell, pastor; Jewell Tucker, assistant pastor. Sunday school 9:45. Carl Bellah, superintendent; Earl Hall, assistant. Morning worship 10:50. Christ Ambassadors 6:30. Jewell Tucker, president. Orchestra concert 7:30 to 7:45. Evening evangelistic service 7:45. Evangelist E. L. Hance will be speaking at both services Sunday. Wednesday evening 7:45 praise and prayer. Thursday morning 10 o'clock Women's Missionary Council.




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## The Ultimate Success

On one occasion, the disciples asked Christ, "Who is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven?" Calling a child to Him, the Savior replied: 'Whosoever shall humble himself as this little child, the same is greatest in the kingdom of heaven."

Children are humble. They have faith and trust. They are teachable. These are qualities that make them lovable. These are traits that men must cultivate if they hope to achieve the ultimate success—acceptance by God in the hour of judgment.

In a world beset by sin and materialism, it is sometimes difficult to keep our faith bright and shining. Sometimes it is hard, in the struggle for economic security, to preserve the spirit of humility which necessarily implies a readiness to sacrific personal interests for the common good. Nor is it always easy to accept disappointments and hardships, even though we recognize them as an inpispensable part of the training every soul which aspires to salvation must undergo.

Nevertheless, we must accept the fact that spiritual success must be earned. A child wins favor in its parents' eyes by its ready submission to authority, by its cheerfulness and trust, its desire to please. The same attitude must exist in our relationship to God, who is the Father of all men, and whose will must be accepted in all things if we are to measure up to His special standards of success.

God puts no limitations on man's legitimate success in this earthly life. He counts His saints among the rich as well as the poor, among the great as well as "little" men, among the learned as well as the stupid. However, worldly success must not destroy the child-like attributes which keep the soul close to God. It must not engender a pride which tempts men to put inferior blessings before the transcendant grace of living in constant harmony with the Creator.

The secret of ultimate success is not how much we possess but how truly God possesses us. It is only through unity with God that man may reach the sublimity and glory that is his appointed destiny.

*Go To Church This Sunday*

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## Sunday School Lesson

**'Grace' Is Key to Spiritual Growth**

**By William E. Gilroy, D.D.**

A reader has asked me to write something about spirtunal growth, or Christian growth.

What can we do better than to turn to the great textbooks of the Christian life, the New Testament and see what it says?

There are many passages that bear upon growth and progress in the Christian life, but three, I think, are outstanding. The Apostle Peter in his Second Epistle, 3:18, exhorts the Christian converts to "grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ," and he had already urged them in his First Epistle, 2:2, "as newborn babes" to "desire the sincere milk of the word," that they might grow thereby.

The Apostle Paul, in Philippians 1:9, makes the prayer for the disciples that their love might "abound yet more and more in knowledge an din all judgment."

Both Peter and Paul wrote for ordinary Christians in early Christian churches, so that growth in the Christian life is not a privilege of the few, or of the particularly sanitly. It is the privilege of all who profess and seek the Christian way.

With this in mind I turn to the third outstanding passage, the words of Jesus Himself in John 15, where we have recorded the address to the disciples on the vine and the branches. "I am the vine, ye are the branches." This sets down the condition and law of growth and fruitfulness.

That passage in Peter about growth in grace is differently translated in the Authorized (King James) Version and in the American Revised Version, with a possible difference in meaning. In the Authorized Version the exhortation is to "grow in grace," while in the American Revised Version it is to grow in "the grace" of our Lord Himself — that is, to take to one's self in larger measure the redeeming love and power of God manifest in that grace by which we are saved. "By grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of ourselves; it is the gift of God."

There is a parallel of dual meaning in Paul's reference in II Corinthians 5:14 to the constraining love of Christ as the supreme power of Christ living. That may mean the love of the Christian for the Master, or, as I think Paul intends from what follows, the love of the Master Himself, dwelling in the soul of the believer.

"Grace" is a word of rich and variously beautiful meanings. Predominantly it is used as favor and pardoning love of God, but it has the meanings also of winsomeness and charm, gladness and goodwill and a thankful spirit. To grow in grace is to have one's character become ever stronger and more beautiful, enriched and enlarged into a closer image of Him, who in His earthly life manifested the fullness of the grace of God.

**Study Hour**

M. D. Bergin, representative of the Watchtower Society, will be the speaker at the Jehovah Witnesses meeting at 3:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon at Kingdom Hall, 723 East Third street. His subject will be: "A Signal For All Nations.'

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES**

"SOUL AND BODY" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, May 23, 1948.

Golden Text: II Corinthians 6:16.

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Know ye not that ye are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwelleth in you?" (I Cor. 3:16). The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "To divest thought of false trusts and material evidences in order that the spiritual facts of being may appear—this is the great attainment by means of which we shall sweep away the false and give place to the true. Thus we may establish in truth the temple, or body, 'whose builder and maker is God.'" (p. 428).

No. 9766
**Executrix's Notice**

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Cora A. Thomas, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 16th day of April, 1948, by the probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executrix within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 16th day of April, 1948.

CORA ALBERTA THOMAS, Executrix.

Attested by me this 16th day of April, 1948.

J. E. SMITH, Judge of Probate Court.

(Seal)

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No. 9778
**Administrator's Notice**

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of G. W. Wear, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 16th day of April 1948, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 16th day of April 1948.

W. E. WEAR, Administrator.

Attested by me this 16th day of April, 1948.

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Rev. R. W. Leazer, former pastor of the First Baptist Church, will hold a series of sermons on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights, May 26, 27 and 28. Everyone is invited.

Sunday School will begin on Sunday Morning, May 30th at 9:45 o'clock.

Vacation Bible School will start May 31 and continue through June 11th, and will be held at 9:00 o'clock each morning, except Saturday and Sunday.

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# Social Events

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Watring, of near Otterville, had as dinner guests Monday, Mrs. Watring's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hays, of Denver, Colo., and George Hays of Bunceton.

Mr. and Mrs. Hays are visiting his mother, Mrs. H. W. Hays and brothers Artie and George of Bunceton. They left Wednesday for their home. En route home, they will visit Mrs. Hays' brother, Beverly Arnold, who is a patient at the Wadsworth Veterans' hospital.

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Twenty-six members of the Sedalia Garden Club attended the 25th annual convention of the Missouri Federation of Garden Clubs held at Columbia Tuesday and Wednesday.

Reports were made by four state officers from Sedalia, Mrs. C. L. Carter, second vice president; Mrs. A. W. Klang, Junior Garden Club chairman; Mrs. Herbert Seifert, state chairman of the Blue Star Memorial highway and Mrs. Frank S. Leach, west central regional director.

Others from Sedalia attending were: Mrs. J. C. Saunders, president of the Sedalia Council of Garden Clubs; Mrs. J. W. Boger, Mrs. Wilson Harbit, Mrs. A. M. Beebee, Mrs. Sam James, Mrs. Ivan Berry, Mrs. Robert T. Phelan, Mrs. Fred Kueck, Mrs. Ida Harriman, Mrs. C. F. Scotten, Mrs. A. W Johns, Mrs. J. R. Fullerton, Mrs. H. L. Hill, Mrs. F. M. Nicholas, Mrs. J. E. Golladay, Mrs. Charles A. McNeil, Mrs. E. W. Kettleson, Miss Lelia Shortridge, Mrs. P. L. Strole, Mrs. J. C. Allen, Mrs. A. A. Ferguson and Mrs. Robert Griffin.

Mrs. Klang told of the work of the Junior Garden Clubs throughout the state, of the medals given and of the magazine being distributed to juniors.

Mrs. Seifert gave an outline of the Blue Star Memorial Highway and told of the progress being made on it.

Mrs. Leach gave her report on the West-Central Region and received for her region six blue ribbons and has the gavels which will be presented later to the new clubs.

Sedalia received several awards for outstanding junior work.

The banquet Tuesday evening at the Christian church was attended by three hundred people at which Dr. William Albrecht, chairman of the soil department of the University of Missouri, was the speaker talking on "Conservation of Soil Resources."

Music was by the Christian college students.

Wednesday afternoon thep rogram was "Home Beautification" by W. S. Summer, "Landscape Architect' of the University of Missouri.

"Flower Gardening' was the address of J. E. Smith, Jr., assistant professor of floriculture, who, with his assistants, will judge the Sedalia Flower Show Saturday.

There was a tour of the campus gardens assisted by students in floriculture and landscape gardening, a tea given by the Columbia Garden Club in the Gwynn Hall parlors in the Home Economic building and the closing event Wednesday evening was the University Chorus concert in the Jesse auditorium under the direction of Charles Gallaway.

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Miss Mary Ruth Booth, who will be married this month to Mr. Benjamin J. Ray was honored with a miscellaneous shower given at the home of Mrs. Granville Thompson, Route 3, Sedalia, with Mrs. Paul Read as assisting hostess.

A game was played during the evening and as the different guests won they selected a gift from the larg ship, "Wedded Bliss" which was placed in the hall, for Miss Booth to unwrap.

Refreshments of angelfood cake and punch were served from a lace covered table which held a centerpic of yellow roses with yellow lighted tapers on either side. Floating on the punch bowl, over which Miss Deane Thompson presided, were two small lighted candles in orange slices representing Mary and Ben sailing away on the sea of matrimony.

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A miscellaneous shower was given the evening of May 17, by Miss Emma Kraft, 117 East Seventh street, in honor of Miss Jean Harris, who will become the bride of Mr. Hansel Morris on May 23.

Games were played during the evening after which Miss Harris was shown a clothesline on which were hung paper doll clothes. Verses on the back of the doll clothes told where the gifts were hidden. She was given a bushel basket, told that there was going to be a shower and she had better get the clothes in. She was instructed to take them down one at at time, read the verse and find her gifts.

A sprinkler, filled with flowers formed the table centerpiece.

After the gifts had been opened the hostess served ic cream and cake in which were a wedding ring, a thimble and various other symbols.

Guests were: Miss Harris, Mrs. Claude Harris, Mrs. O. L. Johnson, Miss Jerry Abney, Miss Nellie Goddard, Miss Kathryn Wehe-Meyer, Miss Erma Fajen, Mrs. Milton Dale, Miss Kathryn Ries, Miss Doris Lane, Miss Bettye Ellsworth, Miss Mabel Kraft and Miss Elva Huddleston.

Those unable to attend but who sent gifts were Mrs. I. B. Ellis and Miss Genevieve Sullivan.

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Mary Ann Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wallace, 413 North Hurley, celebrated her eighth birthday anniversary on Saturday, May 15, with a party given for her at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Young, 723 East Fifth Fifth street.

Games were played during the afternoon with awards doing to Junior Ditton, Jimmie and Jeanie Weed, Betty Ann Byrd, Ruth Payne, Janice Wasson, Norma Greer, Beverly June Long, Sandra Kay Oswald, Charlotte Cook and Mary Ann Wallace.

Birthday cake was served with ice cream to the following guests: Marilyn and Junior Ditton, Ruth Payne, Jimmie Gwinn, Betty Ann Byrd, Jimmie and Jeanie Weed, Janice Wasson, Carolyn Staley, Norma Greer, Rose Mary and Charlotte Cook, Beverly June Long, Patrick and Billy Wallace, Sandra Kay Oswald, Bonnie Kay Shaw and Mary Ann Wallace.

Others attending were: Mrs. Harvey Weed, Mrs. Charley Poynter, Mrs. Nancy Stephens, Mrs. George Young and Mrs. Francis Wallace.

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Members of the T. D. D. club were guests of Mrs. Paul Carpenter, 1721 South Lamine avenue, Thursday evening. Two special guests were present, Mrs. Jane Carpenter and Jack Chambers.

The evening was spent in sewing. A dessert course was served at the close of the meeting.

A lawn picnic was planned for the next meeting at the home or Miss Nina Lacey, 1321 West Tenth, Friday, June 18.

## Luncheon at Old H omestead



Teachers of the Smith-Cotton high school, who were entertained Wednesday at a 12 o'clock luncheon, at the Old Missouri Homestead, given in their honor by the Parent-Teacher Association executive committee.—(Staff Photo)

## Church News

The Sunshine Sunday school class of the Smithton Methodist church met on Wednesday afternoon May 12 at the home of Mrs. B. F. Mahnken, with Mrs. O. G. Bolte, Mrs. R. R. Lujin and Mrs. A. F. Neumeyer assisting.

The meeting opened with a sang, "Bless Be the Tie That Binds," followed by a prayer. After the short business meeting a program was presented honoring Mother's Day, by Mrs. Vest Streit and interesting and humorous incidents about our mothers, were then given. Also a history of the Battle Hymn of the Republic was given by Mrs. Mayme Selken. The song was sung for the closing of the meeting.

Guests were as follows: Mrs. William Montgomery, Mrs. Homer Smith, Mrs. Charles Griffin, Mrs. J. K. Lacey, Jr., Mrs. Charles McBride, Mrs. Vest Streit, Mrs. F. L. Bohenhamer, Mrs. E. F. Dillon, Mrs. Mayme Selken, Mrs. R. R. Lujin, Mrs. A. F. Neumeyer and two guests were Mrs. H. S. Ramseyer and Mrs. Sallie Greer of St. Joseph, Mo.

Refreshments of ice cream, cake, mixed nuts, mints and coffee were served to the above guests.

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The Ever Ready class of the Smithton Methodist church met on Thursday afternoon, May 13, at the home of Mrs. Kalo Monsees with Mrs. R. L. Curtis assisting hostess.

The meeting opened with the song, "Take Time To Be Holy." Mrs. L. E. Wagenknecht read from the "Upper Room" and led in prayer. Mrs. J. S. Daniels read a story of the life of Helen Keller. The business meeting followed with the vice president, Mrs. Millard Wagenknecht, presiding. The secretary report was given, also the treasurer's report. The social hour followed. Mrs. Harry Demand and Mrs. A. W. Oehrke were winners in the games and contests.

Mrs. Monsees and Mrs. Curtis served refreshments of coffee, white cake and home made ice cream topped with fresh strawberries to the following members: Mrs. Charles Jurries, Mrs. L. E. Wagenknecht, Mrs. Millard Wagenknecht, Mrs. John Daniels, Mrs. Curtis Bluhm, Mrs. Leonard Hoehns, Mrs. A. W. Oehrke, Mrs. Shelby Monsees, Mrs. Kenneth Hall, Mrs. Harry Demand, Mrs. William Williams, Mrs. Walter May, Mrs. Clarence Hiltenburg, Mrs. Virgil Quint, Mrs. Kalo Monsees and Mrs. R. L. Curtis.

The class will meet with Mrs. Ernest Schlobohm, Sedalia Route 4 on June 10.

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**Finds People Still Human**

MUNCIE—(AP)—Dr. O. W. Michael, who has been a physician here for 50 years, says, "The one thing that's been impressed on me is that humanity doesn't change much. You had your good people 50 years ago and you had your bad ones. It's the same today.

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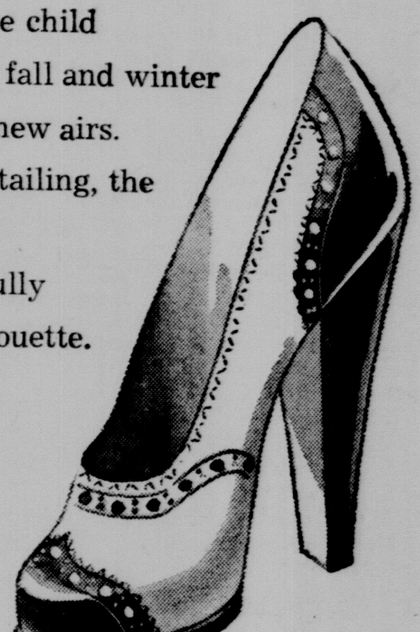
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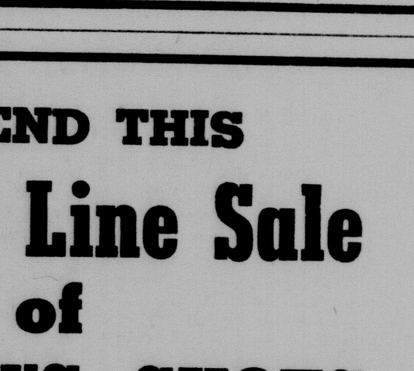
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# The Daily Washington Merry-Go-Round

*by Drew Pearson*

WASHINGTON, May 21—It will be interesting to see what the senate does about the seating of William Feazel, appointed to the vacancy left by the late Senator Overton of Louisiana by Governor Earl Long.

Two aspects of Mr. Feazel's career are interesting. One is the large amount of cash he contributed to Governor Long's campaign. Second is a grand jury proceeding held by Assistant Attorney General John Rogge in 1939 showing that Feazel was involved in a big gas deal with Governor Dick Leche, who served a jail term in connection with another matter.

Louisiana politicos say that Mr. Feazel was by all odds the largest contributor to Gov. Long's campaign — donated over $200,000. Louisiana, incidentally, isn't bothered about limits to state campaign contributions.

In the past, the senate has been cranky about large amounts of money influencing senatorial elections. Senator Smith of Illinois was denied a seat when his campaign contributions went over $100,000. Senator Lorimer of Illinois was not seated for the same reason. Senator Newberry of Michigan finally resigned from the senate while his colleagues were probing his large campaign gifts, and Senator Vare of Pennsylvania was denied his seat when his gifts ran around $200,000.

All these were Republicans. Now comes a Democrat who was not running for office but helped handsomely to put a governor in office. Then that governor turns round and puts his chief monetary benefactor in the senate. A Republican senate may want to think this over.

On top of this is the fact that when the justice department was probing the Louisiana scandals, John Rogge unearthed the fact that $125,000 had been paid by United Gas Improvement Corp., an electric bond and share subsidiary, to Tom Hill, a big New Orleans gambler, who in turn passed part of the money on to Governor Dick Leche, part to Louisiana's new senator, William Feazel, and kept part for himself.

Reason for this unusually large payment by a big corporation to three interesting Louisiana figures never was revealed. For about that time Roosevelt threw cold water on the Louisiana probe. However, the present Republican senate may want to continue the unfinished story of Louisiana where the justice department left off.

Note — Governor Long would like to appoint his nephew Russell Long, eldest son of the late Huey Long, to the senate. But Russell is only 29 and under the law a U. S. senator must be thirty. Therefore it's reported that Feazel will make way for Russell later.

**Modest Mike Monroney**

It was like Congressman Mike Monroney of Oklahoma never to breathe a word about the fact that President Truman offered him the job of secretary of agriculture. However, he did — just after Clinton Anderson resigned.

It was also like Monroney that he turned the offer down. His refusal was on the very simple ground that he didn't know enough about agriculture or the farmers' point of view.

"All my life," he told Truman, "I have spent defending the consumer and thinking about his point of view. Therefore, I just wouldn't be a good man to champion the farmers."

So, without saying a word to anyone, Monroney, one of the most respected men in congress, has gone back to the job of battling for his constituents.

Note — Monroney comes from Oklahoma City, where oil wells almost sprout from city streets. Yet during the war he had the courage to fight the oil lobby's clamor for increased prices. Came elections, and the oil lobby tried to get revenge, but the people of Oklahoma City voted for Monroney's courage even though they didn't all agree with him.

**Dead Man's Story**

Dead men tell no tales. But before George Polk, the American news commentator, was murdered in Greece, he wrote Drew Pearson some dynamite-laden letters which may touch the fuse to the long-smouldering situation in Greece. Read another intallment of a dead newspaperman's story in Drew Pearson's column tomorrow.

**Lewis' Captive Senator**

John L. Lewis has sometimes berated the big steel companies for having "captive" coal mines, but it looks as if John now had a "captive" senator — namely Eugene Millikin of Colorado.

For months Millikin has been blocking senate confirmation of Dr. James Boyd as chief of the bureau of mines, due to the fact that John L. Lewis is opposed. Boyd was former dean of the Colorado school of mines and cleared with Millikin before his appointment. The interior department phoned Millikin, asked if he objected to Boyd — they come from the same state — and Millikin said O. K.

That, however, was before the Colorado Republican knew John L. Lewis was opposed. Lewis named the last director of the bureau of mines, Dr. R. R. Sayers, also had his own brother planted inside the bureau at a juicy salary until Secretary of the Interior Krug cleaned them both out. But now with Senator Millikin's help Lewis wants his control back again.

Note — Dr. Boyd, who has several children, has been patriotically serving the government without pay since last summer. Lewis hopes he will soon be starved out.

**Tydings' Brother-in-Law**

When Senator Tydings of Maryland, Democrat, rose on the senate floor to oppose the confirmation of Oklahoma's Jess Larson for the thankless job of war assets administrator, he claimed he had absolutely no personal interest in the matter. Among other things, Tydings supposedly had no interest in American Potash, the company which Larson ruled against when it sought to buy the government's Kalunite plant in Utah.

However, here is what Tydings did not tell his fellow senators:

Tydings' brother-in-law, former Brig. Gen. John M. Eager, happens to represent the Heyden Chemical Corporation, a large stockholder of American Potash. Furthermore, it was Eager who actually signed the letters on behalf of American Potash protesting the fact that it did not get the Kalunite plant.

Yet Tydings said he had no personal interest in the matter.

Perhaps in Maryland a brother-in-law isn't considered personal.

**Oil Firms Buy China's Good Earth**

SHANGHAI —(AP)— American and British oil companies are making substantial profits in China, but government regulations prevent remittances abroad. As a result, the oil companies have become substantial real estate owners. They prefer to put their profits into the land rather than let the money depreciate in the Chinese banks.

One oil company informant said the intention was to use some of the land eventually for purposes such as erecting quarters for company staffs. But materials shortages, even on the black market, have held up such projects.

**Shirt Sleeves Business**

FOUNTAIN LAKE, Ark.—(AP)— Mrs. McGregor Snodgrass had three hobbies—painting, cooking and sewing. But now they're business. Recently she made a blouse and decorated it by painting symbols of her three hobbies plus her monogram. A neighbor saw it and asked Mrs. Snodgrass to make him a shirt.

The fad caught on quickly and Mrs. Snodgrass is kept busy turning out blouses and shirts with hand-painted symbols.

As soon as the human body has its full equipment of muscle fibers, it loses the power to form more.

# The Innocent Impostor

By Renee Shann

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THEY sped swiftly through the streets, empty today save for the sparse Sunday traffic. Charlotte sat beside Roger, Patience behind them. The two in front spoke very little. Patience wondered uneasily what was wrong with them. They didn't seem to be getting along very well. Last night too she'd noticed that Charlotte had been singularly irritable. Was it that they were growing tired of each other? That each had found someone else?

They turned in at the wide gates of the airport and Patience saw the 'plane waiting on the tarmac. As she followed Charlotte aboard she knew a moment's wild panic.

"Scared?" asked Roger.

"A little."

"For heaven's sake, Patience, don't get nerves," said Charlotte sharply.

Patience pulled herself together. She settled down in her seat. The steward put the strap round her.

"What's this for?" she asked anxiously.

The man smiled at her.

"Only just for taking off and landing, miss."

Patience gave a little shudder.

"I don't think I'm going to like it."

But she found she was wrong. In a very few minutes, once they were airborne, her initial nervousness vanished. She sat forward eagerly, looking out of the window, at the country spread below her like a variegated carpet.

"You'd soon get used to flying if you were in the States," said Charlotte. "One just goes by 'plane as a matter of course over there. It's so much quicker. Remember that first trip, Roger, down to Washington?"

Roger chuckled.

"I do. And that party we went to when we got there."

THEY were sitting next to each other. Their heads moved nearer together. Patience caught an odd sentence now and then. They seemed to be getting on better together.

Patience told herself she was glad. Only—, no, of course she didn't feel a pang! Why should she?

"There's the sea, Patience."

Charlotte was smiling at her warmly, quite her gay self again.

"Oh Charlotte, it's so thrilling."

And now they were crossing the coast. She could see the white surf of the waves breaking against the sands. France!

At last they were circling Le Bourget. A few moments more and they were taxiing along the ground.

Patience stepped out onto foreign soil and looked eagerly around her.

"I feel there should be a band playing the Marseillaise," said Roger.

"There is. I can hear it," Patience insisted.

They went through customs quickly and then took a cab straight to the Royale.

The hotel took Patience's breath away. She followed Charlotte across the richly-carpeted foyer to the reception desk, trying to look as if traveling abroad was something quite usual for her.

It was the first time she'd signed a hotel register. She thought for a breathless moment: "If Aunt Helen could only see me!" The man handed her her key.

"Numero quarante-sept, Mademoiselle."

"Thank you."

"We'll wash and re-do our faces and then see Paris," said Charlotte as they went towards the lift.

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PATIENCE'S room was next to Charlotte's. It had a bathroom leading off it. She stood at the long window overlooking the busy street and marveled that she should be there at all.

She heard Charlotte moving about next door and quickly unpacked her suitcase. Once ready she went in to collect her, only to find her still at her dressing-table.

"Darling, do be quick. I'm longing to go out and see everything," she said impatiently.

"Go along down, I won't be a moment."

Roger was waiting in the lounge for them.

"Charlotte's just coming," said Patience.

"The hours I've waited for Charlotte!"

"She won't be a minute."

She was 15. By the time she arrived they'd planned the remainder of the day. Subject, of course, to her approval. Champagne cocktails right now at the Cafe de la Paix. Lunch in the Bois de Boulogne. A run out to Versailles where they'd have tea. Back again to change for dinner. "With a quickie at the Dome beforehand," put in Roger.

It all went according to plan. And for Patience it was sheer enchantment.

They were at the Dome and saying it was time they went back to change for the evening when suddenly Patience saw Charlotte raise her hand in greeting. She looked round to see Dwight Breeden coming towards them.

"Hello," he said, smiling down at Charlotte.

"Hello, Dwight."

Roger looked at him.

"What are you doing over here?" he asked, none too enthusiastically.

"I'm just over on business. I'm going back tomorrow."

"So are we," said Charlotte. "Where are you staying?"

"At the Royale."

"We're there, too," said Patience. and wondered if Dwight knew this already.

Charlotte hadn't really seemed so very surprised to see him. Was it possible that she had been expecting him? That it had been arranged between them beforehand?

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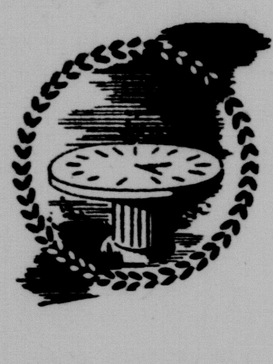
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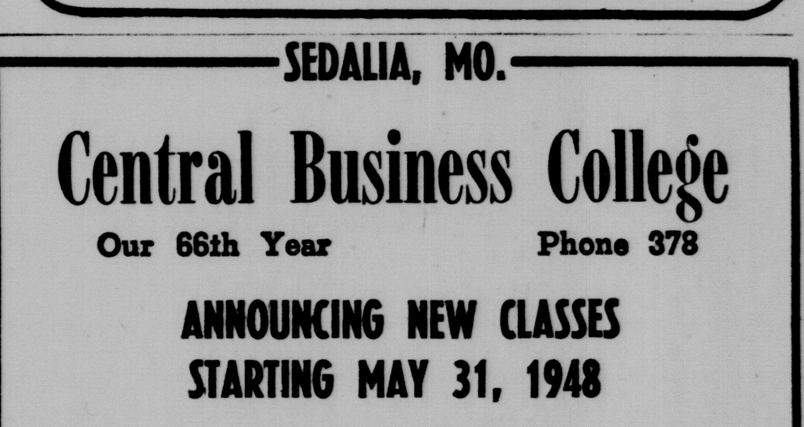
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This 20th day of April 1948.

ETTA C. HURLEY, Administratrix.

Attested by me this 20th day of April, 1948.

J. E. SMITH, (Seal) Judge of Probate Court.

4-30, 5-7, 5-14, 5-21

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No. 9772

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CHARLES CAMPBELL, Executor.

Attested by me this 29th day of April, 1948.

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This 23rd day of April, 1948.

ALBERT HUBBARD, Administrator.

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**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI**

Herbert W. Mason, Executor of the Estate of S. A. Snow, deceased ..... Plaintiff

vs.

Ed Snow, Roy Bryson, Helen Bryson, Icy Beard, Violet (Viola) Snow and Harold Snow ..... Defendants

**Order For Publication of Notice**

No. 23575

State of Missouri to the Defendants, Ed Snow, Violet (Viola) Snow and Harold Snow:

You and each of you are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court for the County of Pettis, State of Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to construe and interpret the last will of S. A. Snow, deceased, and to ascertain and determine the legal rights of the defendants and each of them in the estate of the said S. A. Snow, being administered upon in the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

The names of all parties to said suit are stated above in the caption herein and the name and address of the attorney for the plaintiff is Frank W. Hayes, 235-239 Ilgenfritz Building, Sedalia, Missouri.

You and each of you are further notified that unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within forty-five days after the 30th day of April, 1948, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Sedalia Weekly Democrat, a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Pettis and State of Missouri.

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Witness my hand and the seal of the court this 26th day of April, 1948.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rugen and family attended commencement exercises for the graduates of nurses from St. Joseph's hospital, Boonville, at the Boonville High School last Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. There were thirteen in the class and Mr. Rugen's cousin, Miss Viola Rugen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Rugen, of Pleasant Green, was a member of the graduating class.

Miss Mary Bidstrup, who recently graduated from the Southwestern Baptist Seminary at Fort Worth, Texas, and has been a guest of her brother, Charlie Bidstrup, north of town, had as her guest over the week end Miss Wilma Wood of Kansas City. Miss Mary accompanied Miss Wood home Sunday evening and while there will visit another brother, Perry Bidstrup, wife and son Bobby.

Mrs. J. G. Harlan acompanied her son, Dick Harlan, of Warrensburg, to Boonville Sunday morning and visited with a grandson and son Larry Harlan who is a patient at St. Joseph's hospital there. Mrs. Dick Harlan has been staying in Boonville with her son, who is showing a lot of improvement and expects to be able to be dismissed this week. Bobby Harlan, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Harlan, has been staying at Clifton City with his grandparents and he also accompanied his father and grandmother to Boonville Sunday and they were all dinner guests of a daughter, sister and aunt, Mrs. Clarence McMillin, and Mr. McMillin.

Mrs. E. J. Hallahan and her daughters, Mrs. S. R. Seifert, Mr. Seifert and family and Mrs. J. J. Cramer and Mr. Cramer attended a birthday celebration at the home of Mrs. Hallahan's brother, E. Y. O'Neil, in Smithton given in honor of Mrs. O'Neil's daughter, Wanda, who celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary. The contributive dinner served at the noon hour was the principal feature of the celebration. The dining room table where the guests were seated was centered with a large birthday cake adorned with the required number of candles. Another guest present was Wanda's brother, Junior Jeffries, of Kansas City.

Mrs. Hallahan left Sunday evening after the celebration for Kansas City, where she will visit relatives and look after business affairs.

Mrs. Susie Todd, who was called to Kansas City recently by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Floyd Dickson, who had undergone an operation at a hospital there, has returned home. Mrs. Dickson was formerly Miss Hallie Todd and her mother reports her condition is a lot improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stone and family had as their guests Sunday their daughter, Mrs. Bernie Todd, and Mr. Todd of Independence and Miss Lucille Kempf of Pilot Grove.

Mrs. George Grose was hostess to the Clifton City Homemakers Club at her home in an all day session last Wednesday. In addition to the members, one guest. Mrs. J. J. Potter, was present. Mrs. Mary Fairfax presided over the business meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. Clarence McMillin, who was unable to be present. Following the business meeting, Mrs. Mary Fairfax and Mrs. George Gross were the project leaders and they took charge of the program, using at their subject, "Remodeling Clothing." The June meeting will be with Mrs. G. V. Streit, with Mrs. Add Johnson as project leader. The principal feature of the program will be a book review. Roll call will be answered by each telling "The Kind of Books I Enjoy Most."

Mrs. Vern Decker and son Larry who are making an extended visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Retherford, north of town, was called to Port Arthur, Texas, last week owing to the death of Mrs. Decker's mother. Larry remained here in the Retherford home while his mother is away.

Mrs. Harold Hudson and son and daughter, of Mission, Kas., visited here the past week with her mother and brother, Mrs. Margaret Youngkamp and John Youngkamp.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Siegel were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wagenknecht at Smithton Sunday noon. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Siegel entertained a number of youngsters at their home in honor of Ben Miller of Pilot Grove who with his parents were moving to the state of Arkansas. The principal feature of entertainment was the roasting of weiners on a grate in the yard which had recently been built, and conversation. Those present were: Misses Georgia and Alberta Twenter, Messrs. Raymond Lorenz, J. C. Burford, Carl Waller, J. Lester and Sylvester Twenter, Estel Young, Ben Miller, Jo Ellen, Frances Shirley, Harold and Vincent Siegel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rugen and family attended services at Sacred Heart church Sedalia Sunday morning. They were 12:00 o'clock dinner guests of a nephew, Virgil Pabst and wife. Sunday evening the Rugen family entertained in their home here, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Twenter and son, Neil of Lamine Station.

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**IN THE PROBATE COURT**

STATE OF MISSOURI) (SS.

COUNTY OF PETTIS )

Be it remembered, that on Tuesday, May 18th, 1948, the same being the seventh day of the regular May Term, 1948 of said Court, the following among other proceedings was had before said Court and entered of record, to-wit:

**Order of Publication**

Number 9702

In the matter of the Estate of Claude Hope, Deceased.

Samuel L. Highleyman, Administrator.

Samuel L. Highleyman, Administrator of the estate of Claude Hope, Deceased, presents to the Court his petition, praying for an order for the sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot Number Nine (9) in Block Number seven (7) of Ritchey's Second Addition to the City of Sedalia, in Pettis County, Missouri,

as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate, and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, list, and inventories required by law in such case.

On examination whereof, it is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that application as aforesaid has been made, and that unless the contrary be shown on or before Tuesday, June 22nd, 1948, an order will be made for the sale of the whole, or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts; and it is further ordered that this notice be published in some newspaper in Pettis Couuty, this State for four weeks prior to said date.

Attest: A true copy from the Record.

(Seal) J. E. SMITH, Judge and Ex-Officio Clerk or Probate Court, Pettis County, Missouri.

5-21, 5-28, 6-4, 6-11

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**NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF LONGWOOD SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICT NO. 14**

Now on this 27th day of April, 1948, comes Clark Hieronymus, et al, and file herein their petition asking for an order of this Court dissolving Longwood Special Road District No. 14 of Pettis County, Missouri, and the Court having seen and examined said petition, and having seen, heard and duly considered the evidence adduced in support thereof, finds that said petition is signed by the owners of a majority of acres of land within said road district, and said petition sets forth the name of the district, the number of acres owned by each signer of such petition, and the whole number of acres in said district.

It is, therefore ordered by the Court that the Clerk of this Court be and he is hereby ordered and directed to cause to be published in the Sedalia Democrat and Capital, newspapers in said County and for four weeks successively prior to Monday, May 24, 1948, notice that said petition will be taken up for final action thereon by this Court at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said date; and this cause is continued until May 24, 1948.

J. H. GREEN, Clerk of Pettis County Court.

4-30, 5-7, 5-14, 5-21

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**IN THE PROBATE COURT**

STATE OF MISSOURI) (SS.

COUNTY OF PETTIS )

Be it remembered, that on Saturday, May 15th, 1948, the same being the sixth day of the regular May Term, 1948 of said Court, the following among other proceedings was had before said Court and entered of record, to-wit:

**Order of Publication**

Number 9781

In the matter of the Estate of Sadie Stanton Hubbard, Deceased.

Albert Hubbard, Administrator.

Albert Hubbard, Administrator of the estate of Sadie Stanton Hubbard, deceased, presents to the Court his petition, praying for an order for sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased, described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the southeast corner of Block Number Two (2) in Jackson and Montgomery's Addition to the City of Sedalia, Missouri running thence North Forty five (45) feet, thence West one hundred twenty five (125) feet, thence south forty-five (45) feet, thence East one hundred twenty five (125) feet to the place of beginning in Sedalia, Pettis County, Missouri;

as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate, and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, list, and inventories required by law in such cases.

On examination whereof it is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that application as aforesaid has been made, and that unless the contrary be shown on or before Tuesday, June 22nd, 1948, an order will be made for the sale of the whole, or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts; and it is further ordered that this notice be published in some newspaper in Pettis County, this State for four weeks prior to said date.

Attest: A true copy from the Record.

(Seal) J. E. SMITH, Judge and Ex-Officio Clerk of Probate Court, Pettis County, Missouri.

5-21, 5-28, 6-4, 6-11

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**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI**

James P. Lamy and Eileen O'Sullivan Lamy his wife ..... Plaintiffs

vs.

John McGrath, Mrs. W. T. Crain, the unknown heirs, grantees or successors of Ed Clegg, deceased, John Westermier, Hazel B. Thompson, Katie Altemueller, the unknown heirs, grantees or successor of George J. or G. J. Altemueller, deceased, John J. Miller, Cora Y. Schnare and Forrest McKenzie ..... Defendants

**Order For Publication of Notice**

No. 23578

State of Missouri: To the defendants, the unknown heirs, grantees or successors of Ed Clegg, deceased, and the unknown heirs, grantees or successors of George J. or G. J. Altemueller, deceased.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court for the County of Pettis, State of Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to ascertain and determine the estate and interest of the defendants, the unknown heirs, grantees or successors of Ed Clegg, deceased, and the unknown heirs, grantees or successors of George J. or G. J. Altemueller, deceased, severally, in and to the following described real estate and to partition the following described real estate, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of Section number 30, in township number 46 north, of range number 20 west of the Fifth Principal Meridian, thence running west along the section line to the right-of-way of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad, thence southwesterly along said right-of-way to the south line of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section number 30, thence west 44.14 chains, then south 10.71 chains, thence west to the west line of said section number 30, thence south 30.17 chains, thence east 42.35 chains, thence north 19.69 chains, thence east 39.30 chains to the east line of said section number 30, thence north 40.13 chains to the place of beginning, except 1.57 acres off of all that part of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of said section number 30 above conveyed, being that part lying east of the hedge fence running north and south through the east side of the said quarter quarter, also except the right-of-way of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad, said above described land being a part of section number 30 in township 46 north of range number 20 west of the Fifth Principal Meridian and containing 291.50 acres. Also beginning at the northeast corner of the south half of the south half of the northeast quarter of section number 25, in township number 46 north or range number 21 west of the Fifth Principal Meridian, thence running west 51 2/3 chains, thence south 30.17 chains, thence east 51 2/3 chains to the east line of said section twenty-five (25) thence north to the point of beginning containing 155.88 acres. All of the above described land containing in the aggregate 447.38 acres. All situate in Pettis County, Missouri.

The names of all parties to said suit are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for the plaintiffs is Frank W. Hayes, 235-39 Ilgenfritz Building, Sedalia, Missouri.

You and each of you are further notified that unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within forty-five (45) days after the 14th day of May, 1948, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Sedalia Weekly Democrat, a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Pettis and State of Missouri.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Court this 12th day of May, 1948.

BRYAN HOWE, (Seal) Circuit Clerk.

By MILDRED SUTHERLIN, D. C.

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**Heads Fund**

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

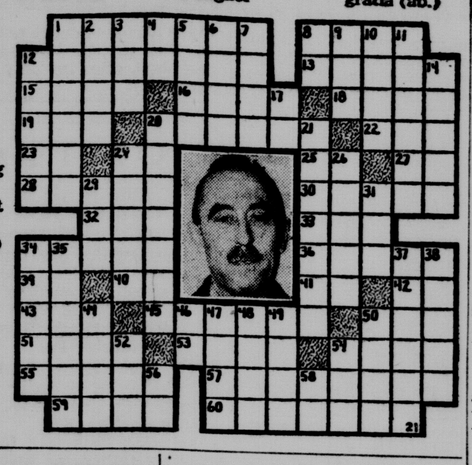



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## Rehearsals for Candle-Light Service

The Smith-Cotton Junior and Senior classes have been rehearsing for Candle-Light service which will be held Monday afternoon beginning at 3:00 o'clock.

Music director J. T. Alexander has been directing the rehearsals of the numbers the Junior and Seniors will sing in unison toward the last of the program, which are "Blest Be The Tie" and "God Of Our Fathers.' The high school orchestra will accompany the group.

*Looking Backward*

## • Forty Years Ago

The Missouri Fox and Wolf Hunters club finally made the capture of a fox on Thursday night. The camp will be moved today from Big Springs to the farm of James H. McCurdy and after the last chase Saturday morning camp will be broken.

Two hundred invitations were issued for the formal opening of the Sedalia Country club this evening with a program to be followed by a dance.

Miss Martha M. Letts, principal of the Sedalia high school, gave her annual reception to the faculty and members of the graduating class.

Senator William J. Stone made a brief stop here this afternoon while enroute from Kansas City to Jefferson City.

Complaint is made that some Sedalia auto owners are disregarding the speed ordinance and operating their cars in some instances up to 25 miles an hour on various paved streets.

**Lovelace Club Meeting**

The Lovelace Extension Club met at the home of Mrs. Elmer Curtis Thursday, in an all day meeting, instead of at the home of Mrs. Arthur Maples, which was previously planned.

Mrs. Curtis and Mrs. Pollard Wood demonstrated dishes which they learned to prepare at the meeting in Sedalia recently.

A contributed dinner was served at the noon hour. The afternoon meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Curtis. Mrs. Russel Branstetter read the Scripture from Matthew, 19th chapter.

After the business meeting, potted plants and recipes were exchanged. Four members and one visitor, Mrs. Streeter, were present.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Warden Glenn.

**Fined For Selling Fish Without Permit**

Andrew Burlingame, appeared before Magistrate W. M. Ilgenfritz, Thursday, and pleaded guilty to a charge of selling fish without a permit, contrary to section 19-L of the Wild Life and Forestry code.

He was fined $1 and costs.


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# Preparedness Moves Hit Snag In Congress

## No House Action On Draft Laws Until After June First

WASHINGTON, May 21—(AP)—Preparedness moves hit a snag in Congress today as showdowns on the draft and the Navy's plan for a super aircraft carrier were put off until next month.

With adjournment tentatively set for June 19, these were the latest developments:

1. Chairman Leo E. Allen (R-Ill.) of the Rules Committee said there will be no House action on draft legislation until after June 1. His group scheduled a meeting Tuesday to hear opponents of the measure sponsored by Rep. Andrews (R-N.Y.)

Senate action on its draft bill also is unlikely before June since lengthy debate is due to start next week on a displaced persons measure.

**Set June 3 for Hearing**

2. The Senate Armed Sedvices Committee set June 3 for a hearing on the controversial plan to build a giant 65,000-ton carrier.

This proposal has touched off a so far unofficial Air Force protest that the Navy is encroaching into the field of strategic bombing.

The House Armed Services Committee, which has given indirect approval to the carrier proposal, asked the Rules Committee to clear a bill authorizing $209,689,500 for construction or expansion of Navy bases in the United States, Greenland, Newfoundland, Alaska and Guam.

The Army measure now goes to a conference committee to iron out differences with the Senate, which passed a $250,000,000 bill.

## Rewarded for Her Efficiency

"Good Morning. Trans World Airline!"

That greeting is one of several used by Mrs. Marie Gregory, a former Sedalia resident, in greeting more than 2800 persons she serves each day as a telephone operator at TWA's general offices in Kansas City.

Her courteousness was rewarded recently when she received a perfect rating in efficiency and accuracy of her switchboard operation. The rating was a result of a survey by the Southwestern Bell Telephone company.

Mrs. Gregory was graduated from Horace Mann grade school and Smith-Cotton high school in Sedalia.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ussery, who now live in Marshall.

## Returns to Penitentiary

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 21.—(AP)—Dr. Andrew J. Bass, former Columbia, Mo., dentist, has returned to the state penitentiary to resume serving a life sentence for murder.

W. P. Ball, Arkansas parole director, said Bass has been at liberty approximately three years and four months on repeated consecutive furloughs and had been working as a hotel clerk at Thayer, Mo.

The parole board, Ball said, had voted to disallow another extension of the furlough because the former dentist had been involved in two "incidents."

Ball said one of the "incidents" involved a "get-rich-quick" scheme at Cairo, Ill. Another time Bass reported he was robbed of $1,950 by two men with whom he was negotiating for the purchase of a liquor store at Bradford, Ark. Ball said the accused men asserted the convict lost the money in a fake counterfeiting scheme.

Bass was convicted in 1930 of the "insurance plot" slaying of William R. Peerman.

**Sentenced to Jail**

Grady Blackshear arrested on a charge of failure to support a minor child, pleaded guilty to Magistrate W. M. Ilgenfritz, this morning, and was sentenced to ten days in the county jail, regardless of costs.


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Girl Scout "Brownie Day" will be observed Saturday, May 22, at 10 a. m. in the Armory. This will be the annual pancake day for Brownies who will be in the 5th grade in September, 1948.

Mrs. Philip McLaughlin, chairman of Brownie activities for the council, is general chairman and will be assisted by Mrs. J. M. Bailey and Mrs. J. E. Merrick and several Brownie leaders.

Hubbard school will observe "Brownie Day" Saturday, June 5, at 10:00 a. m., in the Hubbard Club House, 100 East Morgan street. Mrs. Olander Black, organization chairman for Hubbard school and a leader of Brownie troop 55, will be assistant chairman that day.

## Traffic Cases In Police Court

Herman Hoehns, 820 West Fourth street, pleaded guilty to Judge Harry O. Berry in police court this morning on a charge of careless driving. He was fined $5.00 and reprimanded by the court.

He was driving a taxicab.

"Taxi cab drivers in Sedalia must slow down their driving and obey the traffic rules," Chief of Police Edgar Neighbors said. "We are not only warning the taxicab drivers about their driving, but the general public as a whole. With spring, it seems some of the younger drivers of our city have become speed-minded and it must stop, or the violator must suffer the consequences."

Three overtime parking violators who failed to appear in police court this morning forfeited one-dollar cash bonds.

## Two New Police Officers on Force

Two new police officers have been added to the Sedalia Police department, bringing the force up to the regular number of police officers of 23 men, including the Chief of Police.

The new police officers are Willard Dunkin, 117 East Broadway, and James Sizemore, 1634 East Fifth street.

## District Meet Of Club Women

The opening session of the fourth district of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, of which Mrs. Opal C. Valentine is the state supervisor, will be held at the Taylor Chapel Methodist church Saturday, May 22, 1948, starting at 1:30 o'clock.

The state president, Mrs. Willa Pollard Allen, of St. Louis, Mo., will be present and deliver an address. The address of welcome will be given by Mrs. Christine Richards, third vice president of the state and the response given by Mrs. Cleopatra Gooch, Past State president. At 8:00 o'clock the evening session will be held, which will be an Educational and song hour. All federated clubs, other social clubs, organizations of the church, civic and fraternal are participating on the program.

The "Friendly Fourteen" Club is hostess to the meeting. The Yates Art and Charity club, the Rosamunda and La Parisenne Clubs are hostess to a public reception after the evening program. Everyone is cordially invited to attend the session.

**He Paid for His Gum**

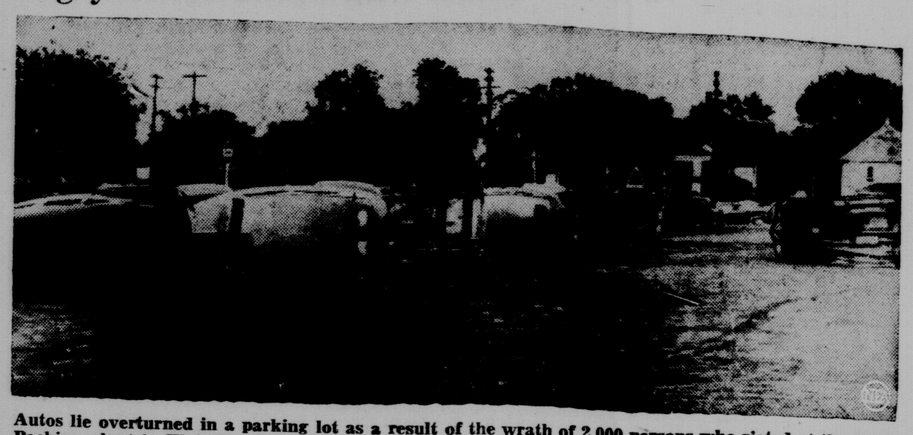
SALEM, Ore., May 21.—(AP)—Walter Brokus was sentenced to two years' imprisonment yesterday for burglarizing a warehouse.

His loot: Two sticks of chewing gum.

**Mrs. Taylor Convalescing**

Mrs. John F. Taylor, of East Twelfth street, who recently underwent an operation at the Missouri Pacific hospital, St. Louis, is improving and will return to her home here within the next few days.

## Angry Strikers Overturn Autos



**Autos lie overturned in a parking lot as a result of the wrath of 2,000 persons who rioted at the Rath Packing plant in Waterloo, Ia., after a non-striker killed a picket. National Guardsmen with fixed bayonets later drove strikers away from a two-block area at the plant, allowing only five pickets to remain at the plant gates. (NEA Telephoto).**

## BIRTHS...

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Maguire, 1236 Moorlands Drive, Richmond Heights, Mo., a seven-pound son, this morning in St. Louis. Mr. Maguire is with the Publicity Department of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad and well known in Sedalia.

## Money Found Goes to State

PHILADELPHIA, May 21.—(AP)—The State of Pennsylvania has been awarded the $92,800 found in a South Philadelphia cellar March 15, 1947.

The money was ordered turned over to the state in escheat yesterday by Common Pleas Court Judge Eugene V. Alessandroni.

The court's order, handed down on a motion to dismiss the claims of the state-appointed escheator, B. Graeme Frazier, stated money "placed in the cellar of a private home, under such circumstances, is most probably the fruit of some illicit venture, of a nature such as to deter the owner from openly asserting his claim thereto."

Benjamin Lieberman, a $75-a-week bookkeeper, found the money in a cardboard box in the cellar of his home. A number of persons laid claim to the treasure trove, but none was successful in the attempt to establish ownership of the money.

## Rabbit Fever On Increase

CHICAGO, May 21.—(AP)—Rabbit fever (tularemia) is on the increase in the Ozark mountain region, three physicians reported today.

They said seven cases of the disease were recorded in the area from 1936 to 1940, nine from 1941 to 1944 and 38 from 1945 to date.

The investigators said 63 per cent of the cases were caused by tick bites, 14 per cent from contact with rabbits and 4 per cent from contact with squirrels.

In 27 of the 54 cases treated, streptomycin was used. There were no fatalities among the streptomycin treated cases. A fatality rate of 14 per cent occurred in the other cases.

The study was reported in the Journal of the American Medical Association by Lt. Roger B. Bost, USNR, Capt. S. C. Percefull, USA., and Dr. Howell E. Leming, all of Fayetteville, Ark.

## Malicious Lie, Says Johnston

WASHINGTON, May 21.—(AP)—Alvanley Johnston, head of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, today termed as "a malicious lie" a statement that he is advertising for new employes to break a strike in a Cleveland hotel owned by the Brotherhood.

Johnston hit back at his critics by saying he doesn't know what the strikers want. He said he thinks they are "just trying to take advantage of what I am up against here" in efforts to reach a settlement with the railroads.

The accusation of strike-breaking against Johnston was made in a Cleveland speech yesterday by William Finegan, secretary of the Cleveland Federation of Labor (AFL). Thirty-two maids and elevator operators, members of the AFL building service union, have been on strike for five days at the Park Lane Villa.

The strikers have said in Cleveland they want a pay raise retroactive for six months, and a union shop that would require all employees to join the union.

**$70,000 For World Peace**

LONG BEACH, Cal., May 21.—(AP)—World peace was worth $70,000 personally to Egbert L. Durham.

Durham, a former Tennessee farmer, left that amount in government bonds to the U. S. Treasury "to promote the cause of world peace," it was disclosed yesterday when his will was filed for probate.

The rest of his estate, valued at about $27,500, was bequeathed to relatives.

## Lodge Notices

Loyal Rebekah No. 260 will hold its regular meeting Friday night, May 21, at the Odd Fellows hall.

Helen Taylor, N. G.
Lila Gregory, Sec'y.

Attention all members of Sedalia Chapter Order of DeMolay who intend to go on the hayride tonight. We will leave the temple promptly at 6:30 p. m. The chapter will furnish the soft drinks.

Bill Mathews, Com. Chairman.

## Just Town Talk

IN A Sedalia Family
WHERE THE Father
IS OUT Of Town
OFTEN
IT SEEMED He
WAS NOT Going
TO BE Able
TO BE Here For
THE GRADUATION
OF ONE Of
HIS DAUGHTERS
IT WAS Quite
A DISAPPOINTMENT
TO THE All
BUT ONE Of
THOSE THINGS
THAT CAN'T
BE HELPED
THEN ON The
EVENING OF
COMMENCEMENT
HE WALKED In
JUST AT The
DINNER HOUR
HE WAS Greeted
WITH EXCLAMATIONS
OF "OH Daddy"
FROM THROUGHOUT
THE HOUSE
"WELL," HE Said
NOT CRACKING
A SMILE
"WHAT IS So Funny
ABOUT YOUR Daddy
COMING HOME?"
I THANK YOU

## $1,200 Damages From Doctor

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 21.—(AP)—A yard of gauze and a safety pin left inside a patient after an operation are worth $1,200 damages from an Oklahoma City surgeon, a district court jury decided yesterday.

The jury overrode medical testimony that the materials could not have caused a second cancer for Thomas F. Winston, McAlester, Okla., contractor.

Winston, the plaintiff and patient, said Dr. Raymond L. Murdoch left a yard of gauze sponge, a safety pin and a hemostat inside him. He had sued for $84,000.

Dr. Murdoch conceded the gauze and pin were taken out in a second operation seven weeks later, but denied the hemostat was in the collection. A hemostat is a scissors-like clamp used to block blood vessels in a major operation.

## Joffee Against Curry Measure

KANSAS CITY, May 21.—(AP)—Enactment of the Curry resolution on Missouri roads would mean an annual loss of $350,000 in gasoline tax revenues for Kansas City, a city official declared last night.

Jerome M. Joffee, special utilities and legislative counsel for the city, said "our street repair and maintenance program would be seriously impaired."

The Curry measure has been passed on by the state legislature and will be submitted to the voters as an amendment to the state constitution next November.

Under the proposed amendment, cities could not levy municipal gasoline taxes. The state gasoline tax, now 2 cents a gallon, would be raised to 3½ cents, with the revenue apportioned to counties and municipalities.

## Injury Fatal to Mo. Born Surgeon

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 21.—(AP)—Injury he received in a fall last Saturday night proved fatal to Dr. George S. Johnson, 49, Missouri born chief of surgery at the U. S. Veterans hospital here.

Dr. Johnson was a native of Monticello, Mo., where his parents and only immediate survivors, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Johnson, reside. He was graduated from William Jewel college, Liberty, Mo., and later attended the University of Missouri. He received his medical degree from Washington University.

He served as a naval commander in the Pacific during the recent war; then was with the occupation forces in Japan.

**Bothwell Hospital Notes**

Admitted for Surgery: James Anderson, Smithton; Miss Shirley Ann Young, 801 East Fourteenth street; Miss Lois Mellen, Warsaw.

Admitted for minor surgery and dismissed: Miss Shirley Cooper, 1662 East Sixteenth street.

Dismissed: Nolan Smith, Smithton; J. A. Howard, 1419 South Osage avenue; Mrs. Keith Tolson and son, Sweet Springs; Mrs. Lottie Meisenheimer, Smithton; Mrs. Robert Williams and son, 1209 South Grand avenue; Mrs. John Closser and daughter, Beaman, and Mrs. Harold L. Baslee and son, Green Ridge.

**Off For Lima**

KANSAS CITY, May 21.—(AP)—Seven Kansas Citians, headed by Mayor William E. Kemp, took off from Municipal airport today on Braniff International Airways' inaugural flight to Lima, Peru. They will arrive in Lima May 28 and start back on June 2.

## OBITUARIES

**Charles E. Kelk**

Charles E. Kelk, 63, who operated the first stevedoring business at the Marine Terminal when it opened in 1924, died recently at the home of a son, Clarence W. Kelk, Beverly Hills, Upper Darby, Pa.

News of his death was received today in a letter to the Quinn family, care the Quinn Shoe store, from Mrs. Kelk.

Mr. Kelk is a former Sedalian, his father for many years being engaged in the carriage building business, on South Osage avenue. Three houses in the 500 block, on West Fifth street, on the north side of the street were built by the family, and one was the Kelk home for many years.

A clipping from an eastern newspaper, enclosed in the note from Mrs. Kelk, continues as follows:

"Mr. Kelk lived in Wilmington until 1929 when he moved to Pennsylvania where he continued in the trucking and steamship business until his illness two years ago. He had been living with his son since his return from the hospital in February. He died on his 44th wedding anniversary.

"A native of Sedalia, Mo., Mr. Kelk was associated with the old Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad as a young man. He was a member of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen of America.

"Surviving are: His wife, Mrs. Ruby Reynolds Kelk; another son, Walter R. Kelk, with the DuPont Company Engineering Department here; two daughters, Mrs. Dolores Howard of Upper Darby and Mrs. Marjorie Hayes of Summit, N. J., and six grandchildren.

"The funeral will be held from the Toppitzer funeral home, Lansdowne, Pa., at 8:30 o'clock Friday morning with mass at St. Larence church, Upper Darby, at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in Silverbrook cemetery, Wilmington."

**Jacob W. L. Cline**

Jacob William Lee Cline, 70 years old, died at 10:30 o'clock this morning at the Bothwell hospital where he has been a patient for the past ten days.

Mr. Cline was born in Morgan county on May 14, 1878, the son of the late Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Cline. He was married at Versailles on June 4, 1900 to Miss Katherine Michalkowsky and three children were born to this union, all surviving. He resided in Morgan county until 1921 when he moved to Sedalia. Until his health failed Mr. Cline was employed in the shipping and packing department of the J. A. Lamy Manufacturing company.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Katherine Cline, two sons, Earl Cline, 1304 South Kentucky avenue and Bill Cline, 1428 South Sneed avenue; one daughter, Mrs. John E. Craig, 106 West Second street, two grandchildren, Harry Wesley Cline and Billy Lee Cline, one granddaughter, Mrs. Alex Gates, one great granddaughter, Sandra Earleen Gates, one sister, Mrs. Mattie Brauer, of Syracuse.

He was preceded in death by his parents and three sisters, Mrs. Charles Finley, Mrs. Robert Holman and Mrs. Will Clark.

Mr. Cline was a member of the First Methodist church and of the Maccabee lodge.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the First Methodist church, Fourth street and Osage avenue, with the Rev. J. Fred King, pastor, to officiate.

Burial will be in Memorial Park cemetery.

The body is at the Gillespie funeral home where it will remain until Sunday afternoon when it will be taken to the family home at 1316 South Stewart street.

## Rival Players Dinner Guests

Players on rival baseball teams came to Sedalia together Thursday night for the Ban Johnson game between the Sedalia Chiefs and Mexico, from Columbia, where they are both attending the University of Missouri and are in the same dormitory.

They are Jimmy Egbert, pitcher for the Sedalia Chiefs, who although he didn't pitch in the Thursday night game, came to see his team in the opening game, and Preston Shepherd, of Mexico, catcher on the Mexico team.

The two ball players were dinner guests at the home of Egbert's mother, Mrs. J. F. Kubli and Mr. Kubli, 1400 East Broadway, before going out to the park for the game.

**Woodland Hospital Notes**

Dismissed: Mrs. Elvera Embree, Windsor; Mrs. O. K. Shinafelt, Harris, and Wayne W. Davis, Houstonia.

In winning the Southeastern Conference football crown last autumn, Mississippi merely reversed the previous season's record—from a 1-6 mark in '46 to a 6-1 finish in '47.

## Visitors go to Glass Factory

The convention of Grand Council of Missouri, United Commercial Travelers of America, being held in Sedalia, is continuing today with the Grand Council session held this morning at 9:30 o'clock at the Elks club.

The afternoon session started at 1:30 o'clock, after recessing for lunch.

A banquet will be held tonight at 6:30 o'clock at the Bothwell hotel.

A group of about 50 men and women attending the convention were taken on a tour of the Pittsburgh Corning glass factory this afternoon, leaving the Bothwell hotel about 2:30 o'clock with a police escort.

Mrs. John Ryan was in charge of the tour, Mrs. Harry W. Walch, Mrs. E. F. Wilson, Mrs. F. W. Koenig and Mrs. Albert Valkenburg, and Mrs. Ray Hunt as members of the committee. Mrs. Joe Ryan and Mrs. Leo Eickhoff were at the glass factory to meet the group.

## Personals

Mrs. Charles Hugelman, of Los Angeles, the former Miss Nell Neal, of Sedalia, arrived Wednesday, her first visit back to Missouri in eight years. She is visiting her parents at Otterville.

T. J. Cannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Eickhoff, 705 West Fifth street and Hugh "Dusty" Wiley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis W. Wiley, Route 5, Sedalia, both students at the Missouri Valley college, spent Thursday in Sedalia with their parents.

## Retaliation by United States

BERLIN, May 21.—(AP)—United States occupation authorities retaliated today against Russian border crossing taboos. They restricted the entry of Soviet missions to the American zone of Germany to a single frontier point.

American officials said last night's ruling was made by European command headquarters at Frankfurt because the Russians decreed that the American military mission stationed at Potsdam could cross into the Soviet zone only at Helmstedt.

The Americans responded by notifying members of the four Russian missions in the U. S. zone that they, too, could cross only at Helmstedt.

Helmstedt is in the British zone on the Soviet border and is on the highway linking Berlin with the west.

The American mission previously was allowed to cross the Soviet zone border at any point.

American authorities emphasized that the action does not mean a closing of the border between the U. S. and Soviet zones. They called it merely a reciprocal move affecting only official Soviet missions.

## Royalty May Wed in Athens

ATHENS, May 21.—(AP)—A source close to the palace said today former King Mihai of Romania and Princess Anne of Bourbon Parma probably will be married in Athens.

Premier Themistokles Sophoulis said Mihai, a nephew of King Paul, will arrive June 2. The Royalist newspaper Vradyni said without qualification the marriage would take place in Athens.

Mihai, who abdicated the throne of Romania at the close of last year, met the pretty Danish princess at Princess Elizabeth's wedding in London. They became engaged soon afterward. Their marriage has been postponed several times. One difficulty has been religious differences. Mihai is a member of the Orthodox church and Anne a Roman Catholic.

## Fine Writers For Contempt

WASHINGTON, May 21.—(AP)—Movie Writers John Howard Lawson and Dalton Trumbo were each sentenced to a year in jail and fined $1,000 today for contempt of congress.

Federal District Judge David A. Pine sentenced Trumbo, script writer of "30 seconds over Tokyo." Judge Edward M. Curran imposed the penalty on Lawson, author of such films as "Smashup" and "Blockade."

The sentencing came after both were denied new trials. Lawson was convicted April 19 and Trumbo on May 5.

Both were accused of refusing to tell the house un-American activities committee last fall whether they were Communists. Eight other Hollywood figures were indicted on similar charges.

All have announced plans to appeal their cases to higher courts.

**Phil Baker in Jail**

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif., May 21—(AP)—Phil Baker, 55-year-old radio comedian, was jailed today, Police Chief C. H. Anderson announced, after two patrolmen saw the comic's car weaving down a side street.

The chief said Baker was booked on suspicion of drunken driving.

**Killed on Express Highway**

ST. LOUIS, May 21.—(AP)—Two St. Louisans were killed and two others seriously hurt today when two automobiles collided on the express highway in the western part of the city.

Those dead, both Negroes, were Wendell Raymond Parker, 41, and his wife, Helen, 37.

The highway was closed for more than an hour when wreckage was removed.

## The Markets

**Chicago Livestock**

CHICAGO, May 21—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 11,000; very active, unevenly $1.00 to $1.50 higher; most advance on weights over 240 pounds with instances up more on these weights; top $24.75; bulk good and choice 170 to 240 pounds $23.75 to $24.50; 250 to 270 pounds $22.75 to $24.00; 280 to 300 pounds $21.25 to $22.50; 330 pound weights $21.00 with 375 to 400 pounds $19.75 to $20.25; sows around $1.00 higher; most 350 to 600 pounds $17.00 to $18.75; few weights $19.00; complete clearance early.

Cattle 2,500; calves 300; all grades fed steers and yearlings weak to 50 cents lower; good to average-choice medium weight and weighty steers mostly 50 cents down; clearance incomplete; low-choice 1,350 pound steers topped at $34.35; some held higher; most average-good to choice steers and yearlings $33.00 to $34.25; medium and low good kinds $28.50 to $32.00; heifers steady; choice 1,020 pound averages to $33.50; cows steady to weak; cutters $19.50 down; most beef cows $20.00 to $24.50; bulls firm; weighty sausage offerings to $25.50; vealers unchanged at $31.00.

Sheep 1,500; one load common and medium 75 pound southwestern shorn lambs with mostly No. 2 pelts 50 cents lower than Thursday to local packer at $21.00; not enough other classes here to test market but undertone weak for all slaughter classes.

**St. Louis Livestock**

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., May 21—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs, 6,500; active; weights 170 pounds up 75 cents to $1.25 higher than Thursday's average; lighter weights $1.00 to $1.50 higher; sows 50 cents to mostly 75 cents higher; bulk good and choice 170 to 230 pounds $24.00 to $24.50; largely $24.25 up; top $24.50; highest since March 16; 240 to 270 pounds $22.25 to $24.00; 270 to 300 pounds $20.75 to $22.50; 300 to 340 pounds $19.00 to $21.00; 130 to 150 pounds $21.00 to $23.50; 100 to 120 pounds $18.00 to $20.50; sows 450 pounds down $18.00 to $18.75; largely $18.50 down; over 450 pounds $16.75 to $18.00; stags $12.50 to $14.50; few at $15.00.

Cattle, 700; calves 800; odds and ends of medium and good lightweight steers and heifers $28.00 to $30.00; cows about steady; few just good cows up to $25.00 to $25.25; common and medium kinds $21.00 to $24.00; canners and cutters $16.00 to $20.00; bulls firm; medium and good largely $23.50 to $25.00; odd head good beef bulls to $25.50; vealers steady; good and choice $26.00 to $32.00; common and medium $16.00 to $26.00.

Sheep, 300; general undertone bearish with virtually nothing sold early except scattered small lots of shorn slaughter ewes at $11.00 to $11.50.

**Kansas City Livestock**

KANSAS CITY, May 21—(AP)—(USDA)—Cattle 1,800; calves 200; generally a clean up affair at mostly steady prices; 5 loads good 980 pound fed steers ordered in at $32.00; odd lots canners to common cows $14.00 to $20.00; few medium up to $22.50; scattering good and choice vealers $26.00 to $29.00.

Hogs 3,000; fairly active, lights and butchers 50 to 75 cents higher than Thursday's average; sows steady to 25 cents higher; extreme top $25.00 sparingly to shippers, bulk good and choice 180 to 230 pounds $24.00 to $24.50; 250 to 270 pounds $23.00 to $24.00; 280 to 300 pounds $20.50 to $22.00; few 325 to 375 pounds $19.75 to $20.25; good and choice sows $15.50 to $16.75; stags up to $16.00.

Sheep 3,500; killing classes steady; good and choice 93 pound clipped lambs with No. 3 skins $20.00; odd lots good and choice trucked in native spring lambs $30.00; good and choice slaughter ewes $12.00.

**Chicago Poultry**

CHICAGO, May 21—(AP)—(USDA)—Live poultry: Fowl easy, balance steady; receipts seven trucks; prices unchanged.

FOB: Fowl, 31c; Leghorn fowl 26c; roasters 44c to 47c; fryers 38c to 42c; broilers 37c; old roosters 19c; FOB: wholesale market; ducklings 31c; heavy ducks 25c; small ducks 20c.

**Chicago Produce**

CHICAGO, May 21—(AP)—Butter firm; receipts 657,996; 92 score AA, 80c; A, 79c; 90 B, 75c; 89 C, 72c; cars 90 B, 75c; 89 C, 73c.

Eggs firm; receipts 40,567; U. S. extras 70 per cent and up A, 45.5c to 46c; 60 to 69.9 per cent A, 43.5c to 45c; U. S. standards 41c to 42.5c; current receipts 41c; dirties 39.5c; checks 36.5c.

**St. Louis Produce**

ST. LOUIS, May 21—(AP)—Produce and live poultry:

Eggs: Extras 44½c to 45½c; standards 40½c to 41½c; current receipts 38½c to 39c; underweights 32c to 37½c.

Butter: Extras 79c to 80½c; 90 score 74c; 89 score 71c.

Butterfat: No. 1 quote 70 cents per pound at country stations, No. 2, three cents less.

Cheese, jobbing prices (Wisconsin): Twins 45½c; cheddars 45½c; flats 46c; singles 46c; daisies 49c; Longhorns 49c; process 47½c; nearby cheese one-cent less.

Live poultry: Heavy breeds 29c to 30c; Leghorns 25c to 26c; Arkansas fryers and broilers 41c to 42c; nearly broilers and fryers 39c; nearby broilers under 1¾ pounds 35c; Leghorn broilers 2 pounds up 35c; 1½ to 1¾ pounds 30c; No. 2 chickens 15c to 20c; roosters, old cocks 19c; geese 20c; ducks, young 27c; old small or dark 23c; turkeys, hens 45c; hens (breeder) 40c; young toms 38c; old toms 32c; No. 2 turkeys 12c to 15c; pigeons (dozen) $1.20; squabs, dressed (10 pounds up per dozen) 95c; (under 10 pounds) 80c.

**Kansas City Produce**

KANSAS CITY, May 21—(AP)—Produce: Eggs: Extras 42c to 44.5c; standards 39.5c to 40c; current receipts 38c to 38.5c.

Butter: Grade A, pound in cartons 80.5c; grade A, pound in quarters 81c.

Butterfat: 66c to 69c.

**Chicago Grain Table**

CHICAGO, May 21—(AP)—

| | High | Low | Close Fri. | Close Thurs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT— | | | | |
| May | 2.47 | 2.44 | 2.44¼ | 2.46¼ |
| July | 2.36¾ | 2.33¼ | 2.35¾ | 2.33¾ |
| Sept | 2.35 | 2.31¾ | 2.34½ | 2.32½ |
| Dec | 2.35¼ | 2.32¼ | 2.35¼ | 2.32½ |
| CORN— | | | | |
| May | 2.36½ | 2.32 | 2.33 | 2.33 |
| July | 2.15½ | 2.13½ | 2.14¾ | 2.14½ |
| Sept | 1.93⅞ | 1.91⅛ | 1.91¾ | 1.93⅜ |
| Dec | 1.69⅜ | 1.66 | 1.66⅜ | 1.69½ |
| OATS— | | | | |
| May | 1.16 | 1.10¾ | 1.11½ | 1.13⅞ |
| July | .93¾ | .92¼ | .92¾ | .93¼ |
| Sept | .84⅜ | 83¼ | .83¾ | .84½ |
| Dec | .85¼ | .83⅞ | .84¼ | .85⅛ |
| SOYBEANS— | | | | |
| May | 4.10 | 4.09 | 4.09 | 4.17 |
| July | 4.08 | 4.04 | 4.05 | 4.11 |
| Nov | —— | —— | 3.15 | 3.20 |

**Chicago Cash Grain**

CHICAGO, May 21—(AP)—Cash grain: Wheat: None.

Corn: No. 1 yellow $2.39; No. 2, $2.36¾ to $2.39; No. 3, $2.32¼ to $2.36¼; No. 4, $2.29¾ to $2.30; sample grade $1.79 (musty); No. 2 white $2.39; No. 4 white $2.25½; sample grade white $1.50 to $1.96.

Oats: Sample grade mixed $1.10; No. 1 white $1.16 to $1.16½; No. 2 white $1.16.

Barley, nominal; malting $2.25 to $2.42; feed $1.68 to $1.88.

Soybeans: None.

**St. Louis Cash Grain**

ST. LOUIS, May 21—(AP)—Cash grain: Wheat: 23 cars, sold 2 cars; No. 1 red winter $2.46¾.

Corn: 10 cars, sold 3 cars; 2¼ cents up; No. 2 yellow $2.37¾; sample grade yellow $2.18½ to $2.25.

Oats: 3 cars, sold 3 cars, sample grade white $1.04½; No. 2 mixed $1.14.

**Kansas City Cash Grain**

KANSAS CITY, May 21—(AP)—Wheat: 155 cars. Down 1 cent to up 3 cents. No. 2 hard and dark hard $2.34½ to $2.43¾; No. 3, $2.32½ to $2.72 nominal; No. 2 red $2.33 to $2.38½ nominal; No. 3, $2.39 to $2.55½ nominal; No. 2 yellow and mixed $2.30 to $2.35½ nominal; No. Corn: 40 cars. Up 1 cent to down 4½ cents. No. 2 white $2.52¾ to $2.55; No. 3, $2.27 to $2.35½ nominal.

Oats: 5 cars. Down 3½ cents to up 2 cents. No. 2 white $1.08½ to $1.18 nominal; No. 3, $1.07½ to $1.17 nominal.

Milo mzize $3.82.

Kafir $3.64 to $3.80 nominal.

Rye $2.15 to $2.25 nominal.

Barley $1.72 to $1.77 nominal.

**Paid Wolf Bounty**

Everett Martin took to the office of County Clerk James Green four young wolf scalps this morning. He received $16 for the scalps.

## Testify in Harper Case

WASHINGTON, May 21.—(AP)—Three Southeastern Missouri Republicans who aided in collecting information for state G. O. P. headquarters on "get out the vote" prize awards plans in that area in 1946 testified today before a senate judiciary subcommittee.

The committee, considering President Truman's nomination of Roy W. Harper of Caruthersville, former Democratic state chairman, to be a "roving" federal district judge in Missouri, expects to conclude its taking of testimony Monday.

Chairman Donnell (R-Mo.), who has asked many witnesses whether Harper failed to investigate legality of the plan, said he personally favors acting on the nomination before congress adjourns or recesses next month.

Witnesses today included Merrill Spitler, New Madrid county attorney, who said Grover Dalton, state Republican chairman, asked him to get data on "the so-called lottery" in three adjacent counties. It is his opinion, he said, that the prize drawings, held after the November, 1946, election, were not a violation of lottery laws, but did violate the state corrupt practices law. The plan was sponsored, except in one place, by local Democratic groups.

As far as he knew, he said, Harper had nothing to do with the plan.

## Damage Suit is Being Tried

A damage suit for $15,000 against Emmet Fairfax and John H. Thomas, brought by Ada Miller, is being tried in the Pettis county circuit court today before a jury with Judge Dimmit Hoffman on the bench.

The suit is a result of injuries suffered by Mrs. Miller on January 11, 1948, in an automobile accident which occurred on Highway 50 near the west Smithton junction. Mrs. Miller was a passenger in the Fairfax car and Mr. Thomas was the driver of the second car which figured in the accident.

The jury hearing the case is composed of Mrs. Harry O. Berry, D. W. Scotten, Chester Wiseman, William Seelen, John T. Buckley, Russell Culbertson, J. C. Orender, W. S. Bell, D. R. Powell, John Hampton, Frank Shernaman and Harvey L. Keens.

## Sale of Security Bonds in Pettis Co.

The sale of U. S. "Security" Bonds showed a 4.1 per cent increase in Missouri during the week of May 10 to 15, inclusive, according to a news release by R. E. L. (Bob) Hill, State Chairman, U. S. Savings Bonds Committee for Missouri. A total of $20,157,574 in E. F and G Bonds have now been sold in the state since the Security Loan Campaign started. This represents 27.5 per cent of the Missouri quota of $72,750,000.

The sales report also revealed that during the same week citizens of this county purchased a total of $21,776, all series, which brings the total sales in our county since the beginning of the campaign to $142,262, or 30.9 per cent of quota.

**Jefferson P. T. A. Meeting**

The Jefferson Parent Teacher Association will meet Tuesday night, May 25, at 7:30 o'clock instead of tonight as previously announced.

**Here on Vacation**

Marvin M. Burford, assistant manager of Montgomery Ward's store at Carrollton, Mo., who is on a two weeks vacation, is visiting with his mother, Mrs. Jane Burford, 211 West Tenth street.

## Leading Stocks At Close

| | Close Thurs. | Close Fri. |
|---|---|---|
| American and For. Power | 3⅝ | 3¾ |
| American Smelt. and R. | 62½ | 63¾ |
| American Tel. and Tel | 157 | 157 |
| American Tobacco B | .... | .... |
| Anaconda | 39⅛ | 40⅛ |
| Atchison, T. and S. F. | 112¾ | 112⅝ |
| Atlas Powder | 57 | 57½ |
| Aviation Corp | 7 | 6⅞ |
| Bethlehem Steel | 37 | 36¼ |
| Chrysler Corp. | 60⅜ | 61 |
| Coca-Cola | 169¼ | 170½ |
| Curtis-Wright | 7½ | 7⅜ |
| Curtis-Wright A | 22⅞ | 22¾ |
| Du Pont De Nu | 181¼ | 183 |
| Eastman Kodak | 44 | 44 |
| General Electric | 39⅜ | 40¼ |
| General Foods | 40¼ | 40⅛ |
| General Motors | 59⅜ | 59¾ |
| International Harvester | 96¾ | 96⅜ |
| International Shoe | .... | 42½ |
| International Tel and Tel | 15 | 15⅜ |
| Johns-Manville | 41⅝ | 41½ |
| Kennecott Corp. | 57¾ | 57¼ |
| Libby, McN and L. | 10 | 10 |
| Liggett and Meyers B | 87¼ | 86½ |
| Mid-Cont. Petroleum | 66 | 65⅞ |
| Missouri-Kansas-Tex. | 6⅜ | 6¼ |
| Montgomery Ward | 64⅜ | 64½ |
| Nash-Kelvinator | 18⅛ | 18¼ |
| National Cash Register | 43 | 43¼ |
| North American Co. | 16⅛ | 16¼ |
| Packard Motors | 5⅛ | 5¼ |
| Pepsi-Cola | 19 | 19¼ |
| Phillips Petroleum | 71½ | 72⅜ |
| Purity Baking | 31 | 31 |
| Radio Corp. of America | 13 | 13 |
| Reynolds Tobacco B | 39½ | 39 |
| Sears Roebuck | 41⅛ | 41⅜ |
| Skelly Oil | 20½ | 20¾ |
| Southern Calif. Edison | .... | 30 |
| Standard Oil Indiana | 47¾ | 48⅜ |
| Studebaker Corporation | 28¼ | 27¾ |
| Swift and Co. | 34⅛ | 34¾ |
| U. S. Steel | 80 | 79¼ |

## Leaders on the Curb

| | Close Thurs. | Close Fri. |
|---|---|---|
| American Light and T. | 18⅞ | 18⅜ |
| Arkansas Nat Gas | 8 | 8⅛ |
| Cities Service | 57⅜ | 56⅝ |
| El. Bond and Sh | 14⅜ | 14⅜ |
| Ford Motor Canada A | .... | 22¾ |
| Ford Motor Ltd | 5¼ | 5¼ |
| Humble Oil | 79 | 79¾ |
| National Bellas Hess | 3⅞ | 4 |
| Piper Aircraft | 3½ | 3¼ |
| Southern Royal | 45 | 45½ |
| Standard Oil Ky. | 28¼ | 28¼ |


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# Chiefs of B.J. League Defeat Mexico Club

## Overwhelm the Visitors by a Score of 14-2

The Sedalia Chiefs opened the home season of the Ban Johnson League by handing the Mexico Bricklayers a score of 14 to 2 before a large crowd, Thursday night under the lights at Liberty Park.

Donald "Duck" Eschbacher pitched the game for Sedalia and the big righthander exhibited plenty of stuff which kept the Mexico Club completely out of the ball game after the third inning when the Chiefs staged a rally which netted 5 runs. Eschbacher fanned 11 allowed seven hits and gave up but one base on balls.

The visitors opened the game with a bang scoring in the first inning on a two bagger by Van Ness and a single by Shepherd. The Chiefs threatened in the first two frames but fast double plays nipped the rallies but the big bad Chiefs began to get the range in the third Hawley led off with a single Eschbacher sent a fly ball to right which Martin dropped after a long run. On an attempted bunt by Schweitzer Hawley was trapped off second. Then the fireworks started Ralph Waters doubled Robinson was intentionally walked to fill the bases Schumaker cleaned the sacks with a triple, Joe Waters was out; Means sent a triple into right field and Barbour ended the inning with a long fly ball to left.

Mexico scored another run in the fifth which proved to their last of the game Moore doubled into right and Van Ness singled to count Moore.

**Scoring By Threes**

The Chiefs tallied three runs in the fifth in the sixth and three in the seventh, on base hits and fine base running.

"Salty" Schumaker and Joe Waters led the Sedalia hitters with three safe hits each. Van Ness led the visitors with two hits and played a sensational game at second base.

Sunday the Chiefs journey to Marshall for an exhibition game as several of the boys will have school activities which will prevent them making the trip. The regular league game will be played Monday night under the lights at Marshall and Joe Imhauser will be the Sedalia pitcher. Egbert will work the Sunday game.

The box score:

| SEDALIA CHIEFS | AB | R | H | PO | A |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Schweitzer, ss | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 5 |
| R. Waters, 2b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 5 |
| Robinson, 1b | 3 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 1 |
| Schumaker, lf-c | 5 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| J. Waters, cf | 4 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Means, rf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Echard, lf | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Barbour, c | 4 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 2 |
| Dillard, 3b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hawley, 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Eschbacher, p | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Totals | 36 | 14 | 13 | 27 | 17 |

| MEXICO | AB | R | H | PO | A |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Van Ness, 2b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 1 |
| Boone, lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| P. Shepherd, c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| P. Shepherd, c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Waddington, ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Isrig, rf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Martin, rf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Remley, 3b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Prater, 3b | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Nichols, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| Moore, p | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Totals | 34 | 2 | 7 | 24 | 9 |

Score by innings:
MEXICO .....100 001 000— 2 7 5
SEDALIA .....005 333 00x—14 13 6

Summary: Three base hits—Means, Waters. Two base hits—Barbour, Waters, Schumaker. Struck out—By Eschbacher, 11; by Moore, 2. Base on balls—Off Eschbacher 1; off Moore 5. Umpires: Alpert and Barnes.

### Thursday's Major League Results

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

St. Louis .....001 036 102—13 14 1
Brooklyn .....000 100 030— 4 9 2
Pollet and Rice, Garagiola (8); Hatten, Casey (6), King (9) and Edwards. Homer: StL—Musial.

Chicago .....310 010 000—5 14 0
Philadelphia .....000 000 300—3 11 0
Meyer, Chipman (7) and Scheffing; Dubiel, Nahem (8), Stricevich (9) and Padgett, Seminick (9). Homer: Chi Smalley.

Pittsburgh .....100 821 001—13 17 0
Boston .....000 000 000—0 4 1
Riddle and Fitzgerald; Barrett, Prendergast (4), Beazley (4) and Masi. Home runs: Pgh Kiner.

Cincinnati .....010 020 000—3 8 1
New York .....000 100 000—1 6 1
Fox and Lamanno; Koslo and Livingston.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

Philadelphia .....020 000 000—2 5 1
Detroit .....000 121 00x—4 15 1
Schieb, Savage (6), Harris (8) and Guerra; Hutchinson and Swift. Homers: Pha Chapman; Det Swift.

New York .....310 014 004—13 22 0
Chicago .....000 100 010— 2 7 1
Raschi and Berra; Grove, Bradley (6), Harrist (6), Caldwell (8), Pearson (9) and Robinson. Homers: NY-DiMaggio, Lindell.

Washington .....202 100 020— 7 12 2
St. Louis .....033 025 40x—17 18 1
Wynn, Candini (4), Garcia (6), Welteroth (7), Ferick (8) and Early. Evans (7); Stephens, Biscan (4) and Partee.

Boston .....002 200 000— 4 8 2
Cleveland .....250 211 02x—13 8 0
Harris, McDermott (2) and Tebbetts; Lemon and Hegan. Homer: Cle Boudreau.

### Fights Thursday Night
By the Associated Press

BUFFALO, N. Y. — Ezzard Charles 173½, Cincinnati, outpointed Erv Sarlin, 185¾, Pittsburgh, 10.

FALL RIVER, Mass. — Joe Blackwood, 160, Paterson, N. J., outpointed Johnny Walker, 167, Philadelphia 10.

TOPEKA, Kas. — Pat McCafferty, 175, Topeka, knocked out Young Kid McCoy, 175, Bowling Green, Ky., 1.

### Today's Baseball
By The Associated Press

**American League**
New York at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Detroit.
Boston at Cleveland.
Washington at St. Louis (night).

**National League**
Chicago at New York.
Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia (night).
St. Louis at Boston (night).

John Stevens, added this year to the umpiring staff of the American League, spent the winter officiating in the Basketball Association of America.

## Balm for Tired Feet



That 67 on his score card is balm for his aching feet as the veteran Gene Sarazen, who was PGA champion 26 years ago, rubs a shoeless foot. He posted a 67 for the first 18 holes of PGA qualification at the Norwood Hills Country Club at St. Louis. Only two others had lower scores. (AP) Wirephoto).

# Skip Alexander Leads PGA Field

By Skipper Patrick

ST. LOUIS, May 21—(AP)—Big Stewart (Skip) Alexander, who qualified with a record-tying 134, led the field today into the first round matches o fthe professional golfers association tournament.

Alexander, playing in his first PGA meet, yesterday egalled the PGA record set by Jim Ferrier at Portland, Ore., two years ago.

Sixty-four players, the best in a starting field of 130, match shots in 32 duels of 18 holes this morning. The winners will play another 18 holes this afternoon to determine the 16 third round players.

Alexander's 7-under-par play yesterday gave him a round of 32-32—64 over the 6,467-yard Norwood Hills country club course. He had a 70 in the first qualifying round.

Only on the 18th did Alexander go over par. There he took a 5, one over. Alexander had seven birdies and used only 29 putts.

Toney Penna of Cincinnati was only a stroke back of Alexander in two-day qualifying play with a 135. He traveled the second round in 32-33—65.

Sam Snead of Whtie Sulphur Springs, W. Va., and Jimmy Demaret of Ojail, Calif., had 136s. Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa., came through with a 138.

# Major League Leaders

By the Associated Press

**American League—**
Batting — Boudreau, Cleveland .431; Zarilla, St. Louis .393.
Runs batted in — Williams of Boston 32; Keltner, Cleveland 26.
Runs — Williams, Boston and Tucker, Cleveland 24.
Hits — Boudreau, Cleveland 37; Evers, Detroit 34.
Doubles — Boudreau, Cleveland 11; Zarilla, St. Louis 9.
Triples — Wertz, Detroit 4; Vico, Detroit; Yost, Washington and Platt, St. Louis 3.
Home runs — Keltner, Cleveland 12; Williams, Boston 7.
Stolen bases — Vernon, Washington 5; Tucker, Cleveland and Coan, Washington 4.
Strikeouts — Trucks, Detroit 32; Brissie, Philadelphia 29.
Pitching — Trucks, Detroit 3-0 1.000; Johnson, Boston; Klieman and Bearden, Cleveland; White, Detroit; Fowler, Philadelphia and Scarborough, Washington; Biscan, St. Louis 2-0 1.000.

**National League**
Batting — Holmes, Boston .431; Musial, St. Louis .411.
Runs batted in — Kiner, Pittsburgh 25; Sauer, Cincinnati 23.
Runs — Musial, St. Louis 23; Ashburn, Philadelphia 22.
Hits — Gustine, Pittsburgh 40; Musial, St. Louis 39.
Doubles — Adams, Cincinnati; Marshall, New York and Musial, St. Louis 8.
Triples — Musial, St. Louis and Waitkus, Chicago 5.
Home runs — Sauer, Cincinnati and Kiner, Pittsburgh 9.
Stolen bases — Ashburn, Philadelphia 5; Murtaugh, Pittsburgh and Haas, Philadelphia 4.
Strikeouts — Jansen, New York 33; Schmitz, Chicago 32.
Pitching — Brecheen and Pollet, St. Louis 4-0 1.000.

# • Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

ST. LOUIS, May 21—(AP)—Hard luck tales from the PGA tourney: Bob Hamilton, who was on top of the first the first day, came up to the 12th hole yesterday very much in the running. . . . He had been red hot with his short pitches, so when he found his drive about 20 yards from the cup, he carefully paced off the distance. . . . The rule requires that the pin must be removed on all shots from less than that distance. . . . It seemed OK, so Bob chipped up and his ball rolled in, touching the pin as it dropped. . . . Just to be safe, PGA officials got out a tape and measured — the distance was 59 feet, 10 inches and Hamilton had to take a two-stroke penalty as a result. . . . Jack Hall of Des Moines was just about to try an 18-inch putt on the last green for a qualifying score of 149. . . . As he stroked the ball a tremendous shout arose from the gallery on the 17th green where Skip Alexander had just made up a deuce to stand eight under par. . . . Hall dubbed his putt and wound up in a tie for the last qualifying spot. He lost out on the first hole of the play-off, which made Skip's cheer a $100 yell for Hall.

**Who's Dizzy?**

Dizzy Dean, who has been broadcasting American league baseball, was starting out to the golf course yesterday when he encountered Mickey Vernon of the Washington Senators in the lobby. . . . Noting a familiar face, Ol' Diz shook hands warmly and asked, "What time do you tee off?"

**End of the Line**

In a Big Seven baseball game against Missouri the other day, a Kansas State kid named Sheriff lost credit for a three bagger because he failed to touch first base. . . That's one Sheriff who wasn't there in a pinch. . . . Jimmy Nichols, the one-armed Monson, Mass. golfer failed to qualify in the PGA, with 70-80 . . . "I got too much right hand in my shots," explained Jimmy, who plays entirely with his left.

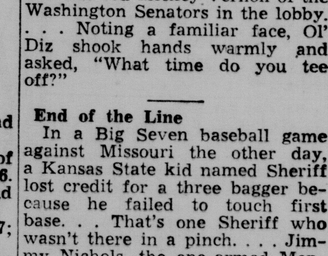
### Thursday's Stars
By the Associated Press

BATTING — Joe Dimaggio, Yankees: Batted home six runs with two homers, triple, double and single in six trips as New York smothered the White Sox, 13-2.

Stan Musial, Cards: Continued his hitting spree against Dodgers with four hits, including a homer, two doubles and a single in 13-4 win.

PITCHING — Elmer Riddle, Pirates: Shut out Boston with four hits, 13-0, for fourth win.

Mississippi has run into 14 rained out baseball games during the past two seasons—seven each year.



# Cardinals in 13-4 Victory Over Brooklyn

## Del Rice Hit on Head by Ball; Dyer is Ejected

BROOKLYN, May 21 — (AP) — Stan Musial continued to pickle Brooklyn pitching Thursday as the St. Louis Cards romped to a 13-4 victory over the Dodgers.

Musial, who banged out five hits Wednesday night against the Brooks, collected 4 Thursday — a homer, two doubles and a single —as the Red Birds rapped three Dodgers pitchers for 14 singles.

The win was the league-leading Cardinals' sixth straight and their fourth in as many meetings over the Dodgers.

**Rice Hit On Head**

Catcher Del Rice, who drove home four runs on two doubles, was struck on the head by one of Hugh Casey's pitches in the eighth and apparently was badly shaken up, though he walked off the field under his own power.

Card Manager Eddie Dyer protested bitterly to plate umpire Art Gore, apparently charging that Casey's pitch was an intentional beam ball and that Casey should be ejected from the game. Gore deemed otherwise and finally thumbed Dyer out of the game.

For four innings the game was a pitcher's duel between Howie Pollet of the Cards and Joe Hatten of the Dodgers. Then in the fifth, with the score tied at 1-1, the Cards jumped on Hatten for six runs.

The big blow of the uprising was Rice's double with the bases loaded that cleared the sacks. The Cards added three more off Casey in the sixth and another in the seventh when Musial homered over the rightfield screen. The Cards picked up two more in the ninth on two singles, a walk and fly out.

Pollet scattered seven hits in posting his fourth win without a setback. Dick Whitman gave Pollet the most trouble, batting in three runs on a two-bagger and a single.

# Expect M. U. to Win Track Meet

By Randall W. Blake

LINCOLN, Neb., May 21—(AP)—Missouri is expected to start rolling on the way to another Big Seven track and field conference championship today as the preliminaries are staged.

The well-manned Tiger squad, strong everywhere except in the javelin, is generally conceded the title. The Tigers are defending the championship they won here last year with 158 1-6 points and may break that record total tomorrow.

Last year Missouri scored in every event except the javelin. The meet is scored 10-8-6-4-2-1.

A warm tussel for second place behind Missouri is looked for with Nebraska, Kansas and Oklahoma given a chance to wind up in that notch.

All three have top performers in a few events, but none can match the all-around strength of the defending champion Tigers. Oklahoma probably has the best balance of the trio.

Colorado, only a shadow of last year's fine team; Kansas State and Iowa State don't figure to land in the first division.

Missouri has entered 31 performers, six better than the next high as 25 listed by Nebraska and Iowa State. In all, the total of entries is 115 for the 7 schools7.

The Tigers, coming home first, will have slammed the indoor and outdoor meets for the second straight year.

## Curtis Clout



Polly Riley of Fort Worth packed a wallop for the United States in the Curtis Cup matches with British women over the Birkdale course, Southport, Eng.

# Jeers Instead Of Cheers Greet Dodgers

## Browns Hop Senators And Cards the 'Bums' 17 to 7 and 13 to 4

By Jack Hand
(Associated Press Sports Writer)

Home Sweet Home has a strange tune in Brooklyn this year. Jeers instead of cheers greet the Dodgers after five straight defeats in "friendly" Ebbets Field.

First the Boston Braves and then the feared St. Louis Cards swept series in the flock's own backyard. Even the mighty Casey is getting the bumps.

Hugh Casey was bumped again yesterday in his second straight relief appearance when the Cards slugged their way to a 13-4 slaughter. The loss was charged to starter Joe Hatten, who was battered to all corners in a six-run fifth inning. Casey and Clyde King also were treated roughly while Howie Pollet tamed the Brooks with nine hits for his fourth straight success.

As a result the Cards have a 2½-game lead over the runner-up New York Giants.

Card Manager Eddie Dyer was ejected by Umpire Art Gore after a bitter protest over a Casey pitch that hit Catcher Del Rice in the head. Earlier Casey had hit Whitey Kurowski with a pitched ball.

The Giants lost ground when they were hogtied by Cincinnati's Howie Fox, 3-1. Fox hurled a neat six hitter for his first win of the year.

Elmer Riddle continued his remarkable comeback by blanking the Boston Braves with four singles while Pittsburgh clubbed Red Barrett and two successors for 17 hits in a 13-0 romp. Ralph Kiner hit his ninth homer and two doubles to ease Riddle's path to his fourth victory.

Chicago's Cubs rapped three Philadelphia pitchers for 14 his in a 5-3 decision over Walt Dubiel.

Cleveland opened up a game and a half lead in the American by drubbing Boston, 13-4, at night after the runnerup Philadelphia A's bowed to Detroit in the afternoon. The Indians profited by the generosity of southpaws Mickey Harris and Maurice McDermott who tied the major league record by walking 18 men.

With Joe Dimaggio enjoying a field day, the New York Yankees gave the Chicago White Sox their daily whipping, 13-2. Dimag hit two homers, a triple, double and single for five hits in six trips, driving in six runs.

The St. Louis Browns hopped all over Washington for a 17-7 night verdict to move into fifth place.

## Congressional Ball Game Tonight

By Arthur Edson

WASHINGTON, May 21—(AP)—Republicans and Democrats square off tonight in their annual congressional baseball game.

If the contest runs true to form it will resemble a regular meeting of congress. A little long, a little confusing — but interesting.

Each manager dashed off a last minute statement.

"We will win," said the Democratic mastermind, Rep. Richards of South Carolina.

"We will win," said the Republican mastermind, Rep. Bishop of Illinois.

If both are correct, the boys won't be out of Griffith Stadium by Christmas. Epecially if they insist on playing a full nine innings.

Last year's game was stopped by rain along about the seventh. The score at that time read: Republicans 16, Democrats 13, with no sign of a let-up. Unfortunately the forecast for tonight is clear.

The game will raise money for underprivileged children. It should be fun for all.

The Democrats' shining lights include Rep. Harris (Ark), an alert catcher.

They also will have Rep. Pickett (Tex), who bats and throws both left and righthanded, although not simultaneously.

"Furthermore," says Pickett, "I can run backward as fast as I can forward."

Who knows? In a game like this that may be the deciding factor.

# The STANDINGS

NEW YORK, May 21—(AP)—Major league standings not including today's games:

**National League**

| | W. | L. | Pct. | G. B. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 16 | 7 | .696 | — |
| New York | 14 | 10 | .583 | 2½ |
| Pittsburgh | 14 | 12 | .538 | 3½ |
| Boston | 13 | 12 | .530 | 4 |
| Philadelphia | 14 | 13 | .519 | 4 |
| Brooklyn | 11 | 15 | .423 | 6½ |
| Chicago | 10 | 14 | .417 | 6½ |
| Cincinnati | 10 | 19 | .345 | 9 |

**American League**

| | W. | L. | Pct. | G. B. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 16 | 6 | .717 | — |
| Philadelphia | 16 | 9 | .640 | 1½ |
| New York | 15 | 9 | .625 | 2 |
| Detroit | 14 | 14 | .500 | 5 |
| St. Louis | 10 | 12 | .455 | 6 |
| Washington | 11 | 14 | .440 | 6½ |
| Boston | 11 | 14 | .440 | 6½ |
| Chicago | 4 | 19 | .174 | 12½ |

### Thursday's Results
By The Associated Press

**American League**
New York 13, Chicago 2.
Detroit 4, Philadelphia 2.
Cleveland 13, Boston 4.
St. Louis 17, Washington 7.

**National League**
St. Louis 13, Brooklyn 4.
Cincinnati 3, New York 1.
Chicago 5, Philadelphia 3.
Pittsburgh 13, Boston 0.

**American Association**
Indianapolis 8, Toledo 1.
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1940 OLDSMOBILE 66 4-Door Radio and heater.
1940 OLDSMOBILE 98 4-Door. Radio and heater.
1938 DODGE Tudor, heater
1939 PLYMOUTH 4-Door Radio and heater.
1940 CHEVROLET Coupe, heater

Routszong Motor Co.
Olds - G.M.C. Trucks - Cadillac
225 So. Kentucky Phone 190



## II - Automotive

**11—Automobiles for Sale**

1926 CHEVROLET touring car. 1120 East 10th.

1935 DODGE coupe. Good condition. Phone 5270-W-1.

1937 HUDSON, new motor and tires, heater. 919 West 5th.

GOOD USED CARS: Cheap. Decker Used Cars, 15th and Ohio.

1941 Dodge sedan. Cheap car in trade. 328 North Engineer.

1935 FORD, ½ mile southwest High Point on old 65. Richwine.

1931 BUICK COUPE, cheap. Inquire after 5 p. m. 2015 South Missouri.

1936 BUICK 4-door sedan, radio and heater. A-1 condition. 810 East 3rd.

1937 PONTIAC, good condition. Cheap 1931 Chevrolet coach. 1108 South Ohio. Shortie Spry.

1940 BUICK Special. Radio and heater, original paint. 8,000 miles on new motor. $1,150.00. About $350 down. 1910 South Quincy.

1938 CHEVROLET, clean in and out. Like new. Also 1932 Chrysler 4-door sedan. Runs good. Looks good. $175.00. 1603 South Kentucky. Phone 4370-J.

**11A—House Trailers for Sale**

1942 TRAILER, custom built. Two room. Good condition. 1102 Kentucky.

**11B—Trailers for Sale**

New Two Wheel
STOCK TRAILER
Factory Built
A Bargain
$175
ENGLE TRACTOR & IMPLEMENT CO.
Main and Lamine Phone 423

**12—Auto Trucks for Sale**

1941 K-5 INTERNATIONAL with two speed axle, 8.25 tires, 16 foot Omaha standard bed. Good condition. C. E. Morrison, Prairie Home, Missouri. Phone 100.

NEW 1948 DODGE ½ ton pickup, Deluxe cab, heater and defroster, with canvas canopy top. Less than 50 miles. Will take late model car in trade. 804 West 16th after 5:30 p. m.

PLYMOUTH
PANEL TRUCK
First Class Condition
See Today
112 EAST 6th

**14A—Garages**

MAGNETO REPAIRING—Latest modern equipment. Satisfaction guaranteed. Dewey and Keith's Auto Service. 1603 South Ingram. Phone 4713.

**17—Wanted—Automotive**

WANTED: JUNK CARS for Salvage. Meyer Junk and Salvage Company, 503 West Main. Phone 195.

IF YOU WANT TO SELL YOUR CAR
See
SULLIVAN MOTOR CO.
216 So. Missouri Phone 4503

## III - Business Service

**18—Business Services Offered**

CONCRETE WORK WANTED: Phone 2937.

RADIO REPAIRING at Cecil's Bicycle Shop, 704 South Ohio. 3987.

GRAVEL HAULING WANTED and basement digging. Phone 2197.

RADIO REPAIRING: Carl R. Goist, 210 South Lamine. Phone 4673.

PUMP REPAIR SERVICE: 4450. O. J. Monsees, 312 East 16th.

REFRIGERATION SERVICE: Bailes Refrigeration Company. Phone 420.

PEABODY RADIO SERVICE: 25 years at 1319 South Osage. Phone 854.

LAMP WIRING: Antique lamps electrified. O. K. Furniture, 507 South Ohio.

ANTIQUE LAMPS ELECTRIFIED, modern lamps repaired. O. K. Furniture, 507 Ohio.

LAWNMOWER GRINDING by electric machine. Work guaranteed. 703 South Lafayette.

ABC WASHER SERVICE: We service all makes. Wollet Electric, 120 West Main. Phone 473.

UPHOLSTERING, slipcovering. John Miller Upholstering Shop, 613 South Engineer 2295.

BUILT-IN Cabinets, fixtures, counters, made to order. Home Craft Cabinet Works, 1501 East 14th. Phone 54.

WASHER SERVICE: Wringer rolls, parts, belts. We repair all makes. Pickup, deliver. Burkholder's, 202 Ohio. Phone 114.

WASHERS, RADIOS, vacuum sweepers repaired. All makes. Sales and service. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 513 Lamine. Phone 4710.

MACHINE WORK: Prompt service, reasonable prices. Wholesale Auto Parts, Sedalia, Mo. Homer Hall, 117-119 South Osage. Phone 766.

PERMANENT WAVE SPECIAL: Our regular $8.50 cream wave for $5.50. Other oil waves, $3.00 up. May-Belle Beauty Shop, 122½ West 3rd. Phone 824.

SEWING MACHINE REPAIRS and parts. All makes cleaned and oiled. 14 years experience. All work guaranteed. Leland Witt, 1318 South Lamine. Phone 3951.

SEWING MACHINE REPAIRING: All work guaranteed. Let us make your present sewing machine into an electric portable. Buttonhole attachments, and pinkers available. Firsick's, 1804 South Osage. Phone 2592-R.

**18B—For Rent**

CONCRETE MIXERS FOR RENT, power driven. $3 day Glenn Pace Phone 3528-J.

For Rent
FLOOR SANDER
Edger and Polisher
POTTS
Construction & Building Supply
420 W. 16th St. Phone 396

**19—Building and Contracting**

REPAIR WORK and cement of all kinds. Flues and foundation. E. Thompson, 250 East Jackson. Phone 605-J.

PLASTERING and contracting. Estimates free. No jobs too big, none too small. Phone 90-F-11, Knob Noster, Missouri. M. E. Norman.

**21—Dressmaking and Millinery**

WANTED: QUILTING, $3.50 per quilt and up. Mrs. Harding, 4675-R.

SLIP COVERS, DRAPES, curtains made, dressmaking, alterations, restyling. Phone 4538

**24—Laundering**

WASHINGS WANTED: Phone 4893-W.

WASHINGS and ironings wanted. 2003 West Broadway. 2543.

EASY WASHDAYS at Serve Your Self Laundry, 715 West 16th. Phone 3257.

RUSSELL'S SELF SERVICE Laundry, 503 East 3rd. Phone 878.

CURTAINS carefully washed and stretched. 411 East 3rd. Phone 2957-W.

WASHINGS: Dried, $2.00 basket. Curtains stretched. Blankets, quilts. Phone 269-J.

DY-DEE WASH a Scientific Institute of Diaper Hygiene. Hospital type diapers twice weekly. Phone Lockett's 676.

CURTAINS STRETCHED, wet wash $1.00. Basket dried, $2.00. Ironings, quilts, blankets, bedspreads, rugs. Pick-up delivery. Phone 4538.

## III - Business Service

Continued:

**25—Moving, Trucking, Storage**

DELIVERY, MOVING, HAULING: Phone 4538.

SEDALIA DELIVERY and Moving Service. Phone 10 or 986-W nights or Sundays.

GOODPASTURE TRANSFER: Delivery and moving service. Prompt service. Phone 2015-M.

MID-STATE STORAGE AND TRANSFER Company. Dependable service, storage, local and long distance moving, packing and crating. Lamine and Missouri Pacific Tracks. Phone 946. John R. Eakins and Dan D. Doty, owners.

**26—Painting, Papering, Decorating**

PAPER HANGING—and painting Phone 3430-J.

**29—Repairing and Refinishing**

CONCRETE and cement work. Phone 3639-W.

ROOF REPAIRING, chimney and carpenter work, painting. Phone 2870 J. M. Holloway, 901 South Moniteau.

**28—Professional Services**

A COMPLETE LENS grinding plant to give you better optical service. Visitors invited. 110 East Third Street, Sedalia, Missouri.

**29—Repairing and Refinishing**

FLOOR SANDING—by experienced men. Free estimates. Phone 2928-W.

CHIMNEY FOUNDATION, carpenter and roof repair work. Phone 2496-J.

HIGH GRADE FURNITURE refinishing. Antiques. J. R. Starkey. Phone 2853-J

## IV - Employment

**32—Help Wanted—Female**

WOMAN WANTED for part time office work. Apply Uptown Theatre.

SALES CLERK: Experienced preferred but not necessary. 1122½ East 3rd.

WANTED: BEAUTY OPERATOR. Experienced. Write Box 69 care Democrat.

WANTED: GIRL to answer telephone for out of town corporation. Real Estate Attorney or Business office. Will furnish our own phone. Must get employers consent. Write Box 67 care Democrat.

**33—Help Wanted—Male**

WANTED: Experienced appliance salesman. Write Box 73, care Democrat.

WANTED CARRIER BOYS for Kansas City Star. Harry Brougher. Phone 292.

WANTED: DISHWASHER. Colored boy. Day work. Phone 4219 before 5:00 p. m. after Wednesday.

YOUNG ATTORNEY OR businessman with one hour per day available. Extra income for reporting for National Insurance Inspection Company. Lock Box 2478, Kansas City, 13, Missouri.

SALESMAN WANTED

With Automobile
for position of
ASSISTANT MANAGER
with Singer Sewing Machine Co. Must be between 25 and 40. Married and ambitious.
A wonderful future for right man. Salary, automobile allowance and commission.
Apply 8 to 10 a.m.
Mr. Mitchell
SINGER SEWING CENTER
Sedalia, Mo.

**33A—Salesman Wanted**

SALESMAN WANTED
Call Saturday
DIXIE KITCHEN
Main and Prospect

**34—Help—Male and Female**

COLORED COOK WANTED: Harlem Club, 302 West Main.

ANTIQUE SCOUT WANTED: Write Box 71 care Democrat-Capital

WANTED: Two strawberry pickers. Willard Phillips, Phone 5138-R-2.

**36—Situations Wanted—Female**

WILL CARE for children in my home. Phone 4682-J.

WANTED: OFFICE POSITION by experienced young lady. For information call Guy Peabody. Phone 302.

## V—Financial

**40—Money to Loan—Mortgages**

FARM AND CITY LOANS: 4% no commission. W. D. Smith.

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate. Low rates, liberal prepayment privileges, no inspection fee. Combination, straight, and installment plans. Don't lose sight of your NET RATE. Investigate ours. Porter Real Estate Company. 68th year.

## VI - Instruction

**42B—Instruction—Male**

**42C—Instruction: Male and Female**

WORK FOR THE U. S. GOVERNMENT: Big starting pay. Security. Men-Women. Prepare for Sedalia examinations. 40 page book. Details free. Write Box "70" Democrat-Capital.

## VII - Live Stock

**48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock**

TWO YOUNG COWS: One Jersey and one Shorthorn. 1622 South Sneed.

10 PUREBRED DUROC GILTS, farrow soon. W. L. Quint, Phone 5341-J-3.

HEREFORD BULLS — registered, yearlings. Olin Klein, Smithton, Missouri.

TWO, Wisconsin Guernsey cows, week old heifer calves at side. First calf. Call 4027 Sedalia after 7 p. m.

SORREL SADDLE HORSE, 5 years old. Bald face and three white feet. 5 gaited. Cheap. T. J. Williams, Green Ridge, Missouri.

HAMPSHIRE BOARS and gilts. Registered. Weight approximately 240 pounds. Elmer Monsees, Ionia, Missouri. Phone 1510 Ionia.

TWO HOLSTEIN, two Jersey heifers, two years old. Two giving milk. Two to be fresh one 15th. Lester I. Patrick, Democratic candidate for sheriff. Route 2, Sedalia, Missouri.

**49—Poultry and Supplies**

FRYERS: 2023 South Grand.

FINISHING BATTERIES for sale. Bargain price. Farris Poultry. Phone 177.

BABY CHIX: 10c and 12c each. Three weeks old 25c each. Silent Sioux Brooder and Chick Supplies. Ferguson Poultry Farm. Phone 270, Tipton, Mo.

BABY CHICKS: Started chicks while they last. Headquarters for Conkey's Y O feed for poultry, rabbits, dogs, cattle and hogs. Poultry litters, brooders, feeders and fountains. Write, phone or call in person at the Sedalia Chick Hatchery, 202 West 4th, Sedalia, Missouri. Phone 3076.

**50—Wanted—Live Stock**

WANTED to buy livestock. Charles England. Phone 943.

POULTRY and eggs wanted. High Point Service. Phone 4224.

KILLER HORSES AND MULES: Dunkin 117 East Broadway. Phone 340.

TOP PRICES PAID for quality fryers and hens. Will Farris. Phone 177.

WANTED FRYERS, baking hens and fresh eggs. Brockman Produce Compank, 1822 South Ingram. Phone 3895.

## VIII - Merchandise

**51—Articles for Sale**

BABY BED, A-1 condition. Also boy's bicycle. Phone 492-W.

GALVANIZED PIPE, 60 feet, 1½ inch. New. Phillip Kain 270.

## VIII - Merchandise

Continued:

**51—Articles for Sale**
Continued:

PRINT FEED SACKS, good colors. 1907 South Quincy. Phone 2688.

SEA KING outboard motor. 3½ horse power. $60.00. Phone 2677-J.

THAYER BABY BUGGY, good condition. Reasonable. 326 North Quincy.

NEW gas engine washing machine. Firsick's, 1804 South Ohage. 2592-R.

WALL PAPER: Finest selection in town. Drop in today and see Dugans, 116 East 5th.

FIRESTONE OUTBOARD MOTOR, 3½ horse power. A-1 condition, also day bed See at 302 South Grand.

THAYER DELUXE, collapsible baby buggy, with pad. Excellent condition. Reasonable. 820 West 5th. Phone 4790-J.

SOME GOOD USED GUNS at Middleton's Gun Shop, 321 East Main. Telescope sights mounted. Phone 3481 Frank Middleton.

LAWN MOWER, late model, rubber tires, half price new. High tank toilet, lavatory with fixtures, cheap. Callies Furniture Company.

THREE STANDARD HOUSE DOORS with hardware and casings. Good kitchen sink. Two wheel trailer. Reasonable. Phone 2702-M.

WASHER WRINGER ROLLS, belts, parts, vacuum cleaner bags, belts, brushes. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 513 Lamine. Phone 4710.

BABY SCALES, cherry chest, small electric fan, Everhot roasterette, electric sandwich toaster, three lace curtain panels, 6 yards of new drape material. Phone 3508-J.

22 SPRINGFIELD automotic rifle, new, plenty of shells. Man's Benrus wrist watch, single record player for radio, six quart ice cream freezer, used two times. Two head iRemington electric razor, half price. Size 116 Eastman folding kodak, roller skates. 1003 East Broadway.

For Sale
OLD NEWSPAPERS
10c per bundle
Pick up at
Sedalia Democrat Office

FOR SALE

Nearly new spray paint outfit. Complete with 10 gallon pot, three guns, 300 feet hose and ladders. All mounted on two wheel trailer. Ready to go to work. A real money maker.

LEWIS MOTOR COMPANY
321 East Main Phone 4591

**51B—Dead Animals**

TOP PRICES PAID FOR fallen animals. Prompt truck pickup anywhere in this territory Just phone 3033 Sedalia Collect. Standard Rendering Company.

WE PAY HIGHEST PRICES FOR DEAD STOCK

We pay for horses and cattle with good hides, and hogs 200 pounds or larger.
Small animals picked up Free of charge.
We give prompt sanitary truck service day or night.
We pay all telephone charges.

Missouri Tankage Co.
TELEPHONES:
SEDALIA—4279
MARSHALL—26
SWEET SPRINGS—80
WINDSOR—52
TIPTON—211

Feeding Tankage
For Sale

**52—Boats and Accessories**

THOMPSON OUT-Board BOAT, 16-foot. A-1 condition. See at 118 West 7th.

**53—Building Materials**

NATIVE OAK $4.50 per 100 at mill. Louis Abbott, Stover.

ROAD AND CONCRETE GRAVEL—black dirt. Call 1197-J. Prompt delivery.

ANYTHING IN PINE OR oak lumber, kiln dried, oak, cedar, hedge posts. 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Phone 785. Nights and Sunday. Phone 4187. 212 East Main.

ROOFING — siding, insulation, storm windows, and screens. Buy on easy payment plan. Call Doyle Furnell for free estimates. Phone 1383-W City or Rural.

**55A—Farm Equipment**

BINDER, 10 foot. Killion Brothers, Houstonia, Missouri.

FARMALL F-12 tractor, cultivator and plow. Phone 5109-M-4.

OR TRADE for livestock. A DeLaval milking machine. Phone 2980-W.

F-20 FARMALL tractor and cultivator, good condition. Phone 5161-R-3.

POWER SHEEP SHEARING MACHINE: Good condition. Without motor. Phone 5291-R-4.

F-12 TRACTOR with plow and cultivator. Walter Sanders, 1½ miles east of Dresden on old Highway 50.

RUMLEY STEEL SEPARATOR, 28 inch. 120 foot drive belt. Treshed last season. $300.00. Gus Lewis, Otterville, Mo.

OLIVER slicer baler, pick-up model Junior 18. A-1 condition, used one season. Priced to sell. Herman A. Opfer, La Monte, Mo.

W-C TRACTOR, reconditioned with cultivator. Cash or trade. Garden tractors, power lawn mowers, Farm Hand stackers, cultivators, shovels. Wahrenbrock Implement Company, 1301 South Limit, Sedalia, Missouri. Phone 332.

NEAR NEW AND USED TRACTORS AND FARM MACHINERY

1948 I.H.C. Cub Tractor and plow, used less than two days, 8.24—4 ply rear tires ..... $750.00
1948 Ford Tractor.
1945 Model C A-C Tractor and cultivator, pulley and power take off, hydraulic lift ... $1,150
S-12 Tractor and Cultivator, 13-7 grain drill with power lift fertilizer and grass seed attachment
I.H.C. cultivator for F-12 Tractor.
I.H.C. cultivator for F-20 Tractor.
I.H.C. 221 cultivator, hydraulic lift for H or M.
999 John Deere Corn Planter.
2-14 Tractor plow
2-12 Tractor plow
6 Foot Horse Mower.
Converto wagons with or without tires.
All this machinery on hand or subject to prior sale.

HARVEY BROS. IMPLEMENT CO.
Phone 330

## VIII - Merchandise

**56—Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers**

OAK AND HICKORY WOOD, dry or green. Phone 2915-W

1948 CROP RED CLOVER and Alfalfa, to be cut and baled this month. $20.00 and $21.00 per ton. Howard Martin, Phone Warrensburg 34-F-23 or Raymond Martin, LaMonte, Missouri.

**57—Good Things to Eat**

**57A—Fruits and Vegetables**

STRAWBERRIES: Box or crate. Willard Phillips. Phone 5138-R-2.

**59—Household Goods**

COOLERATOR, like new. 123 East Saline.

DETROIT JEWEL RANGE: Phone 2467-J.

ELECTRIC HOOVER sweeper. Good condition. Phone 2921.

STUDIO COUCH, chair, violin, case. Phone 3681 after 5 p. m.

APARTMENT GAS COOK STOVE: 902 West Broadway. Phone 911.

GAS RANGE, table top, like new. Two Wilton rugs 8.3x10.6. Call 3306.

3 SEWING MACHINES: Portable, electric, good. Firsick's, 1804 South Osage.

SERVEL Electrolux bottle gas and kerosene refrigerators. New and used Burkholders.

USED WASHERS: Gasoline and electric. Maytag and others. Burkholders. Phone 114. 2nd and Ohio.

VENETIAN BLINDS, quick delivery, installation free. Callies Furniture Company, 203 West Main. Phone 412.

RECONDITIONED REFRIGERATOR, $75. Reconditioned washing machine. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 513 South Lamine. Phone 4710.

GAS RANGE, new, apartment size, insulated oven, Robertshaw control, $79.50. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 513 South Lamine. Phone 4710.

CIRCULATOR gas heater, Philco cabinet radio, 8x10 rug, gas range, radiant heater, kitchen cabinet, kneehole desk, bed, springs and mattress. 1609 South Stewart. Phone 3490-J.

BED, springs and mattress, radio, breakfast set, three piece living room suite, Axminster rug, 9x12, porcelain utility cabinet, dresser, two rockers. Mid-State Storage.

BARGAINS! Lawnmowers, ladders, brooms, porch furniture, sweepers, washers, ice boxes, clocks, irons, lamps, knives, rugs, trunks, radios, tools, typewriters, cooler, tent, brooder, swings, tires, stoves, plumbing, cookers. Store, 1207 Ingram. Phone 2926.

**59B—Furniture For Rent**

SIMMONS ADJUSTABLE hospital beds for rent. Callies Furniture Company.

**62—Musical Merchandise**

ELECTRIC GUITAR and amplifier. 1324 South Grand.

CABINET RADIO, 9 tube. Phone 1383-J Saturday, Sunday and evenings.

AIRLINE RADIO, table model. Good. $12.00. 1407 South Sneed. Phone 3669-W.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS: Clarinet and sax reeds, music stands, batons, instrument cases, violin and guitar strings Meredith Piano Shop, 105 West 11th.

**63—Seeds, Plants, Flowers**

TOMATO PLANTS for sale. Phone 1013 423 West 4th.

SHRUBS, hardy flower plants. 1500 South Quincy. 1755-W. Mrs. Anderson.

CABBAGE, TOMATO, pepper, sweet potato plants. Asparagus. 1806 East 16th. Phone 1020.

NICE SELECTION Chrysanthemums and perennial plants. Rainbow Gardens, 18th and Summit.

PEONIES
For Decoration Day
ALEXANDER'S
2305 East 16th St.
Telephone 1217-W

**64—Specials at the Stores**

LUMINALL paints over wall paper. Dries in 30 minutes. $2.90 a gallon. Dugans, 116 East 5th.

JUST RECEIVED
10 COMPLETE
BATHROOM OUTFITS
$150.00 Value
at only
$137.88
MONTGOMERY WARD
218-222 S. Ohio Phone 3800
Call for Free Estimates

**65—Wearing Apparel**

GOOD SUITS and overcoats, cheap, good condition. Holmes Cleaners.

## VIII - Merchandise

Continued:

**66—Wanted—To Buy**

WANTED: Eight foot horse or power binder. Call 745-W.

USED FURNITURE and antiques. O. K. Furniture, 507 Ohio. Phone 594.

WANTED: Used electric refrigerators. Phone 4710 week days. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

HIGHEST PRICES PAID for good used furniture. Callies Furniture Company.

WANTED: Old time chenille table covers, fringed towels, coverlets. Mrs. Clayton, 1862.

YOUR BEST MARKET FOR junk of all kinds. Katzinger Salvage Company, 400 East St. Louis, Phone 1900.

WANTED SCRAP IRON, car body tin. Free pick-up, delivery from one ton and up. Meyer Junk and Salvage, 503 West Main. Phone 195.

WANTED TO BUY: GREASE, hides, batteries, rags, newspapers, and junk. M. and M. Hide, Wool and Fur Company 301 West Main. Phone 59.

PICTURE FRAMES, hand painted china, unusual cutglass pieces. Haviland china. Old silver. Antique furniture and shutters. Mrs. Aven, 511 West 5th. Phone 2752-J.

**66A—Wanted**

WANTED: CLOVER or lespedeza hay to bale for shares. Phone 5255-W-3.

## IX - Rooms and Board

**67—Rooms With Board**

OLD AGE PENSIONERS wanted. Room and board. Phone 2467-J.

**68—Rooms Without Board**

SLEEPING ROOM for lady. Phone 2467-J

SLEEPING ROOM, modern. 620 South Massachusetts.

SLEEPING ROOM with kitchen privileges. Phone 2944-J.

LARGE SLEEPING ROOM, modern, for gentleman. Phone 3146.

LARGE FRONT ROOM: 219 West 6th. Phone 1247, call late evenings.

## X - Real Estate for Rent

**72—Where to Stop in Town**

$5.00 PER WEEK
MILNER HOTEL
201 East 2nd St. Phone 210

**74—Apartments and Flats**

KITCHENETTE APARTMENT: Phone 2999-J.

3 ROOM newly decorated, two adults only. Phone 2926.

APARTMENT: Two room furnished. Utilities furnished. Phone 4903.

ONE ROOM furnished apartment. Employed lady. 1600 South Lamine. Phone 2628-J.

SMALL FURNISHED APARTMENT for rent, employed people only. Phone 3662-R.

WANTED: Middle aged couple to share home with two in family. Write Box 68 care Democrat.

TWO ROOM FURNISHED apartment, strictly modern, private outside entrance. Adjoining bath, employed girls. 607 West 16th.

## X - Real Estate for Rent

**81—Wanted—To Rent**

SMALL FAMILY need place to live, anything considered. Furnished or unfurnished. References. Phone 2458.

WANTED BY RELIABLE Christian couple, 4 or 5 room unfurnished house or apartment. Phone 2175-W.

WANTED: THREE OR FOUR ROOM apartment or house, unfurnished. Employed couple. Write Box "72" care Democrat.

## XI - Real Estate for Sale

**82A—Business For Sale**

APPLIANCE STORE in Windsor, Missouri. Good location, low rent. Phone 152 or 438, Windsor, Missouri.

SMALL CAFE and tavern in small town. Low overhead, high income. Priced to sell. Write Post Office Box 2, Sedalia, Missouri.

**82B—Building For Sale**

BUILDING: Located in Windsor, Missouri. Suitable for manufacturing, hatchery, produce, etc. Fred Garoutte, 205 Tebo Street, Windsor, Missouri.

ARMY BUILDINGS: 16x32, $299.00 plus freight. 20 easy to assemble sections. Have a home for $1,000.00. Also larger and smaller buildings for sale. Midwest Surplus Building Company, Phone East 835, on Route 40, East St. Louis, Ill.

**83—Farms and Land for Sale**

10 ACRES, well improved, North Grand Avenue. One mile from Main. Call 1807 after 5:30 p. m.

200 ACRES, LaMonte, $15,000; 210 acres, good improvements, $14,700; 400 acres, 2 sets improvements, $14,000; 160 acres, highway, improved, $12,000; 180 acres, Lincoln, improved, $4,000; 240 acres, 8 miles Sedalia, $14,000. Graves and Neal, Ilgenfritz Building.

## XI - Real Estate for Sale

**83—Farms and Land for Sale**
Continued:

NICE HOME, 22 acres, fair improvements. Good road. Owner, 5175-J-3.

20 ACRES, small house. Beaman vicinity. Phone 2015-M.

**84—Houses for Sale**

SIX ROOM HOUSE: 1828 South Sneed.

FIVE ROOM modern house. 901 East Broadway. Phone 4071-W.

SUBURBAN, new house, garage, electricity. Good terms. W. D. Smith.

FOUR ROOM HOUSE with bath and gas heat. Furnished or unfurnished. 1713 South Osage.

OR TRADE FOR CAR 4 room house, made of seasoned pine. One lot. 1206 East 18th. Hanning.

814 STATE FAIR BOULEVARD: 5 room, modern, 1 acre, $10,250. $4,250 cash required. Phone 2571.

BEAUTIFUL 8 room bungalow. Corner location in Brunswick, Missouri. Write to 4605 Liberty, Kansas City, Missouri.

ONE ROOM HOUSE, nice for cabin or living quarters. Phone 203 between 9 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. and ask for Betty.

BRAND NEW HOME, large living room, two bedrooms, bath, plenty closets, modern streamline kitchen-dinette. Unusual decorations, oak floors, beautifully finished. $500.00 will handle. Balance easy F. H. A. G. I. plan. Tom Ware 2664.

GOOD, well located, West home; 1st class repair; 4 rooms; bath; pantry; linen closet; two clothes closets; cellar; lights; gas, fruit; grapes; possession. Shown by appointment only. Porter Real Estate Company. 68th year. E. H. McLaughlin, Salesman.

GOOD HOUSE, two lots, barn, garage, smokehouse, cellar. Well by door. Good garden spot. Electricity. In Lincoln, 11 miles from Lake of Ozarks. Price $2,500.00. $1,500.00 down, balance $50.00 monthly if desirable. Ideal place for shopman. There are daily drivers from here. Charles Roberts, Phillips 66 Station, Lincoln, Missouri.

## XI - Real Estate for Sale

**84—Houses for Sale**
Continued:

FOUR ROOM HOUSE, lights and gas. 810 East 18th.

HOUSE: 5 rooms, lights and water. 2115 East Broadway.

OWNER LEAVING TOWN

812 East 6th. 6 rooms, arranged for two 3-room apartments. Private entrances. Lights, water and gas. Double garage.

Kennie Miller, Realtor
Room 322, Ilgenfritz Building
Phone 586

**86—Shore, Mountain, Lake for Sale**

LARGE CABIN, lots of ground, on Lake of Ozarks. Inquire at Jackson Beach, Warsaw, Missouri.

**89—Wanted—Real Estate**

WANTED: Building lot with utilities for small home. Good location. Cash. Phone 1543-M.

WANTED: LARGE LOT with utilities. Paved street, west side. David Hieronymus. Phone 237 after 6 p. m.

Granite lodge No. 272, A. F. & A. M., will meet in regular communication Friday, May 21 at 8 p. m. All Master Masons are invited to attend. Visitors welcome.

A. I. Walz, W. M.
H. E. Richardson, Act. W. M.
J. R. Smetana, Sec'y.

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4 Week Old White Leghorn Cockerels
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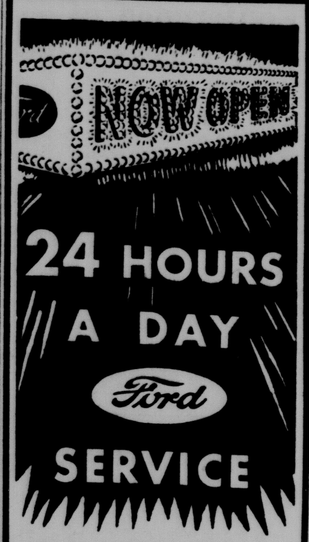
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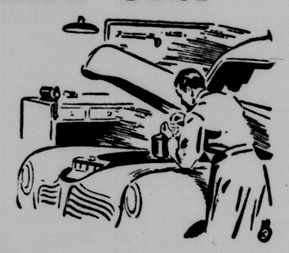
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### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON REZONING APPLICATION

Whereas the Zoning Board of Adjustment and the City Council of Sedalia, Missouri, have received application from: Mrs. Carl L. O'Neel, 214 West Broadway, Telephone No. 2658-J, Sedalia, Missouri, owner of the following described real estate:

The north 50 feet of Lot 10 and the north 50 feet of the west 27¾ feet of Lot 9 in Block 36 of Martin and Smith's 2nd Addition to the City of Sedalia, Missouri. (Which is to be identified as approximately 713 South Kentucky Avenue and to be used as a Garage Repair business.)

Requesting that said real estate be changed and rezoned from:

District "A"—One Family District to—District "J"—Light Industrial District,

and that said application be acted upon as provided in Ordinance No. 3034; therefore, in compliance with Sections No. 7415 and 7416 R. S. Missouri, 1939, other applicable statutes, and said Zoning Ordinance No. 3034, said Zoning Board of Adjustment will meet in the Council Chamber, City Hall Building, Sedalia, Missouri, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. on Friday, June 4th, 1948, for the purpose of a public hearing in relation to said application to change the zone and rezone said real estate, at which time and place parties in interest and citizens shall have an opportunity to be heard.

Dated at Sedalia, Missouri, this 8th day of May, A. D. 1948.

THE ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT,
City of Sedalia, Missouri,
By Herman H. Heidbreder, Chairman.

CITY OF SEDALIA, MISSOURI,
By Julian H. Bayby, Mayor.
Attested with the Seal of said City:
J. M. BAILEY, City Clerk.
(Seal)

### RESOLUTION NO. 59

A RESOLUTION declaring it necessary to bring to the established grade all that part of Quincy Avenue for the purpose of constructing and to construct a concrete curb and gutter on both sides of said Quincy Avenue from the south line of Sixteenth (16th) Street, thence south to the north line of Twentieth (20th) Street, all public streets within said City of Sedalia, Missouri.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, as follows:

SECTION 1. The Council of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, finds, deems and declares it to be necessary to bring to the established grade all that part of Quincy Avenue from the south line of Sixteenth Street, thence south to the north line of Twentieth Street for the purpose of and to construct a concrete curb and gutter on both sides of said Quincy Avenue from said south line of Sixteenth Street, thence south to the north line of Twentieth Street, all public streets within the said City of Sedalia, according to the plans and specifications to be prepared by the City Engineer of said City, and to be on file with the City Clerk of said City on or before the 2nd day of June, 1948.

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the curbing and guttering herein provided for shall include all curbs and gutters and all returns of said curb and gutter at all intersections of streets and alleys, if any.

SECTION 3. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Engineer of said City of Sedalia shall prepare plans and specifications for said work and improvement together with an estimate of the cost thereof, and shall file the same with the City Clerk of said City of Sedalia on or before the 2nd day of June, 1948.

SECTION 4. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the cost of said improvement shall be paid by special assessment against the lots and lands fronting or abutting on either side of said part of Quincy Avenue, a public street within said City as aforesaid, to be so improved and on said improvements being completed, special tax bills shall be issued against said lots and lands chargeable with the cost of said improvement, and that the cost of bringing said part of said Quincy Avenue to the established grade shall be included in the special assessment for the paying for and bringing of said street to the established grade and curbing and guttering all that part of said Quincy Avenue in the City of Sedalia, in manner and form as hereinbefore set forth.

SECTION 5. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution be published for seven (7) consecutive insertions in the Sedalia Democrat-Capital, a daily newspaper of general circulation printed and published in said City of Sedalia, Missouri.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, on this 17th day of May, 1948.

JULIAN H. BAGBY,
President of the Council.

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR of said City on this 18th day of May 1948.

JULIAN H. BAGBY,
Mayor.

ATTEST with the Seal of said City:
(Seal) J. M. BAILEY,
City Clerk of the City of Sedalia, Missouri.

## Political Announcements

**For Sheriff**

The Democrat-Capital is authorized to announce Lester I. Patrick a Democratic candidate for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Tuesday, August 3, 1948.

The Democrat-Capital is authorized to announce John F. Taylor a Democratic candidate for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Tuesday, August 3, 1948.

The Democrat-Capital is authorized to announce Gene Herrick a Democratic candidate for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Tuesday, August 3, 1948.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids for the resurfacing with seal coat of bituminous material of approximately 8½ miles of certain streets as set up, shown and provided for in the plans and specifications now on file in the City Engineer's Office of the City of Sedalia, and in the City Clerk's Office of the said City at the City Hall, will be received up to the hour of 5 o'clock P. M. on the 7th day of June, 1948.

All bids shall be in writing and sealed and there shall be enclosed therewith a cashier's check or draft, payable to the Treasurer of the City of Sedalia for an amount not less than 5% of the amount of the bid.

The City of Sedalia reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By Order of the Council.
CITY OF SEDALIA, MISSOURI.
By J. M. Bailey, City Clerk.
(Seal)

### NOTICE OF SHAREHOLDERS MEETING SEDALIA BANK AND TRUST COMPANY

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the shareholders of Sedalia Bank and Trust Company will be held on Thursday, the 10th day of June, 1948, beginning at 9:00 o'clock A. M., at the banking house of Sedalia Bank and Trust Company, northwest corner of Fourth and Ohio, Streets, Sedalia, Missouri for the purpose of increasing the amount of its capital stock from 4,000 shares of the par value of $25 each to 6,000 shares of the par value of $25 each so that, if said increase is voted by an affirmative vote of the persons holding the larger amount in value of all the shares of stock of the corporation, said capital stock will be increased from $100,000 to $150,000.

Dated at Sedalia, Missouri this 26th day of March, 1948.

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The Bethel 4-H club had an all day meeting May 19 with a contributed lunch served at the noon hour. Doris Moore and Marian Ginn made cookies. Beverly Ann Clevenger and Marilyn Ginn made muffins. A lesson on how to set a table and how to wash dishes was given.

The afternoon was enjoyed by playing baseball.

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# Rev. R. G. Lee Heads Baptists

## Move Considered Against Dr. Norris, Fundamentalist

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 21—(AP)—The Rev. Robert G. Lee of Memphis was elected president of the Southern Baptist convention Thursday.

He defeated the Rev. John K. Buchanan of Birmingham, Ala., a close friend of retiring President Louie Newton of Atlanta, Ga. The breakdown of the 5,700 ballots cast was not announced by conventions officials.

Dr. Lee's election came shortly after the convention amended its constitution to ban representatives of churches not "sympathetic with its purposes and work" from taking part in proceedings.

Dr. Lee, 61, is pastor of Bellevue Baptist church, which convention officials say is the largest white church east of the Mississippi river. It has more than 7,700 members.

The new president, born on a farm near Fort Mills, S. ., is the first pastor in a host city to be elected a convention president.

Other officers elected were: The Rev. Porter Bailes, Tyler, Tex., first vice-president; Makey W. Jarman, Nashville, Tenn., second vice-president; Porter Routh and the Rev. Joe Burton of Nashville, re-elected secretaries; and the Rev. Duke McCall, reelected treasurer.

The constitutional amendment was interpreted by convention leaders as a move against Dr. J. Frank Norris, fundamentalist pastor of First Baptist church, Fort Worth, Tex., and a frequent critic of the convention.

The amendment was proposed by the Rev. L. E. Barton of Montgomery, Ala., convention parliamentarian.

"I don't mind this convention being criticized from within by its friends," Barton said, "but I don't like to have it criticized from within by its enemies." The statement brought applause from the crowded convention hall.

President Newton called for a standing vote, and reported no dissenting votes cast.

The convention voted to hold its 1949 meeting in Oklahoma City, Okla., starting May 18.

Earlier, the convention endorsed a supreme court decision against religious education in public schools. It repeated its opposition to the presence of President Truman's representative in the Vatican.

Action on the New Mexico Baptists' offer of a western assembly ground near Santa Fe was deferred.

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## Escapee From Folsom Caught

JOPLIN, Mo., May 21—(AP)—Edison Russell Womack, 33 who escaped from Folsom state prison in California March 13 where he was serving a life term for robbery, was captured here early Wednesday by Joplin police.

Yesterday, before his identity became known, Womack, and his woman companion, Nell C. Butzner of Brooklyn, N. Y., had been arraigned on a charge of interstate transportation of a stolen motor car. In addition, Womack also was charged with the interstate transport of two loaded pistols.

Walter Flenner, acting assistant plice chief, said Womack admitted he stole the car April 26 in Baltimore, Md. Womack and the Butzner woman were released to federal authorities.

Womack told police he placed a dummy in his bed at Folsom and went over the wall, later swimming a river that encircles the prison.

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## Cash Award to J. V. Moore Made

J. V. Moore, who was born in Sedalia and lived here for many years with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Moore, now of Warrensburg, Missouri, has been granted a cash award by Trans World Airline for a money-saving suggestion submitted to the airline's Suggestion Plan department.

Mr. Moore works in the fabric and upholstery department of TWA's huge overhaul base at Fairfax Airport in Kansas City, Kansas.

He received an award of $10 for suggesting standardization of arm rests on Constellation plane chairs, resulting in a saving to the company in number of items stocked. Suggestion plan awards of $7.50 to $1,000 are made on a basic of their value to TWA as determined by a suggestion committee. All of TWA's more than 13,000 employees are eligible to participate.

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**Snakes Live High**

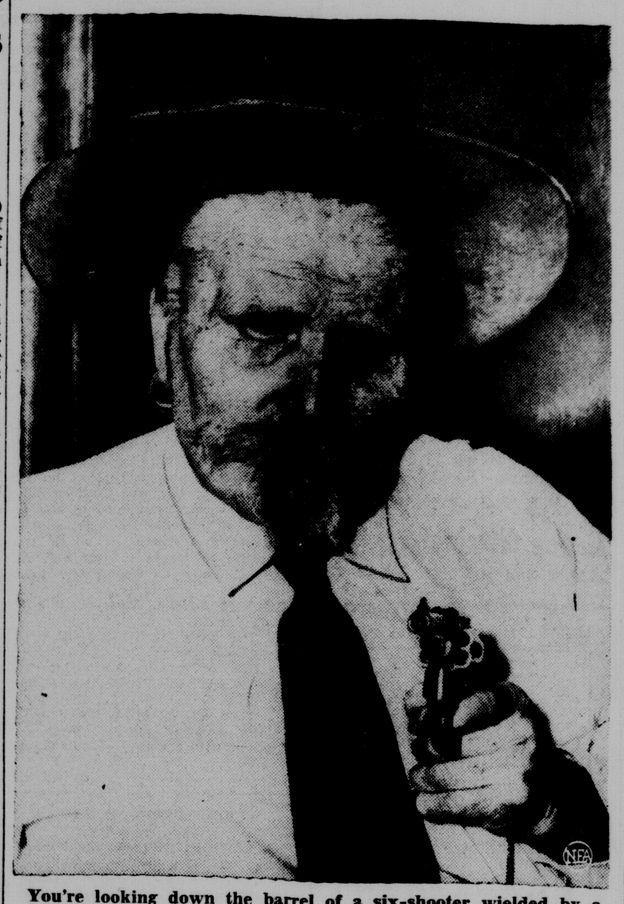
DENVER — (AP) — George Heywood, Denver high school teacher and snake fancier, scoffs at the widespread belief that rattlesnakes are not found above certain altitudes, believed by some to be 6,000 feet and by others to be 8,000 feet.

He cites his discovery of a rattlesnake den in a rocky crevice 9,000 feet above sea level on the western slope of the Rockies in northern Colorado. "I believe that rattlesnakes can live at even higher altitudes, anywhere, in fact, where there is a deep crevice with a south exposure where the snow doesn't collect," Heywood concludes.

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In 14 Southeastern Conference football encounters Mississippi and Mississippi State have broken even.

## *Jesse James?*



You're looking down the barrel of a six-shooter wielded by a 100-year-old Lawton, Okla., man who the Lawton Constitution says has proved that he is Jesse James, renowned Missouri bandit. The man above has been listed on government pension rolls as Col. J. Frank Dalton. (NEA) Telephoto).

## Terms School System 'Disgrace'

PHILADELPHIA, May 21—(AP)—Pres. Truman Thursday termed the financial plight of the country's public school system "a disgrace."

Speaking before 1,300 students of the Girard college the President deplored the fact that "the richest country in the world" lacks public educational facilities to meet its needs and "underpaid teachers" to instruct its youngsters.

The President paid tribute to Stephen Girard, whose will provided for this college for poor, fatherless boys and told the students that they were "exceedingly lucky" to be able to attend a school providing such facilities.

"You have an advantage over students of many other schools," the President went on.

He said many of the nation's public schools are so crowded that the teachers do not even know the names of all their pupils.

"The financial situation of our public school system is a disgrace for the richest country in the world," he said. He spoke in the college chapel.

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## Do You Have an Unusual Occupation

Do you have an unusual occupation? If you do you might get nation-wide publicity on it. The Sedalia Chamber of Commerce has received a letter from Marjorie Marsh, of the Research department of the Jerry Fairbanks, Inc., stating that the mobile camera unit of that company will be in this vicinity early this summer. This company takes pictures for Popular Science, Movie Shorts and Unusual Occupations, which are shown with news reels, and if Sedalia has anything that will be interesting enough to take pictures of the mobile camera unit will come to this city.

Sedalians who do have unusual occupations are asked to write to the Chamber of Commerce telling what kind of work they are doing and something about it.

**Rubble for Berlin Graves**

BERLIN—(AP)—Berliners, surrounded by the ruins of a lost war, are digging into their rubble for materials for grave markers. Recently the city's parks and cemeteries board issued an order that metal grave markers would henseforth be prohibited because it was a choice of "cooking pots or grave markers."

Monument makers protested and met with the cemetery board. "Use wood and stone," they were told, "and as far as possible, bet your materials out of the rubble piles. These should be cheaper than markers made of scarce metals and you can use your artistic imagination in fashioning them."

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## Conference of Rail Clerks Ends

The two day annual conference of the Brotherhood of Rail Clerks closed its session at the Bothwell hotel in the Ambassador Room, Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

The conference was conducted by William M. Crawford, Fort Worth, Tex. who spoke on the following subjects that night: Brotherhood policies and the reasons for their adoption; retirement, unemployment, sick or injury benefits, and social security act; the conduct of lodge meeting; tactics of organizing committees; and the use of parliamentary law.

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## Blames Troubles On Indecision

JEFFERSON CITY, May 21—(AP)—A special Senate committee Thursday blamed indecision for Missouri's training school troubles

The committee studied problems of the boys' school at Boonville, the girls' school at Chillicothe and the Negro girls' school at Tipton. In its final report the committe concluded indecision by the people, by government officials and the staffs were to blame.

The state has "not yet come to a final judgment on whether rehabilitation or punishment should predominate in our treatment of juvenile delinquents," the report said.

It recommended a fixed policy be determined and followed closely so the schools "can be made what they should be, having for their primary function the rehabilitation of those children who most need our help."

The committee heard 34 witnesses during February and March in a series of hearings, including seven inmates of the Boonville school. The final report, however, did not review or summarize the testimony and drew no specific conclusions from it.

Senator Robert H. Lineman (R) of St. Charles, chairman, said all committee members approved the report.

It made only indirect references to the turmoil which followed Gov. Phil M. Donnelly's action in firing the old state training school board and putting the state highway patrol in charge at Boonville.

"That's all over now," Linneman explained "We didn't see any point in going into it again."

Both houses of the legislature held skeleton sessions today. Adjourning until Dec. 1 when the 1947-48 session will end for good. No business was transacted.

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Falstaff goes to a "MISSOURI WALTZ" party

Here's how the party was born. The Bradleys of Kansas City, like most people, love old songs like "The Missouri Waltz." One night while Fred Bradley was doing some old-time impersonations, his wife hit upon the idea of a party built around their old favorite. Next day her husband hired an old abandoned dance hall on the bank of the "Ol' Mizoo." Guests were asked to dress in the manner of the old song. Here's how the party turned out...

Just like the good old days, music was supplied by a string trio and a male quartet. Everybody joined in when the "gay nineties" quartet sang the old songs. Only refreshment served was Falstaff Premium Quality Beer. Bradleys felt that this mellow old brew, long the favorite in the heart of America, ideally fitted the nostalgic mood of the old favorite tunes. Guests said they had never had a better time.

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## Crisis In Battle For Holy City

### Jewish and Arab Forces Engage In Artillery And Air Activity

TEL AVIV, Israel, May 20 (AP)—The battle for Jerusalem apparently had come to its crisis tonight.

The Arab Legion has thrown in its artillery and armored strength against Jewish positions.

Shellfire was bursting over almost all of the Holy city, shrine of three of the world's greatest religions.

The outcome was still in doubt. But here in Jewish Tel Aviv, Rabbis ordered prayers for Jerusalem and fears heightened hour by hour.

Admittedly, the latest situation was not known here. Correspondents had to piece their story together from the fragmentary detail of a Jewish headquarters communique which spoke grimly of shell shattered buildings and bitter fighting.

**Battle Nearing End**

INSIDE THE OLD CITY IN JERUSALEM, May 20—(AP)—An Arab assault force captured the Tiferet Israel Synagogue, Jerusalem's tallest building, in an attack today in the Jewish quarter of the old city.

The same force then continued its battering attack against the Beit Yaacov synagogue, also in the old city, into which Haganah and Irgun Zvai Leumi Jewish fighters withheld from a last ditch stand.

Arabs estimated tonight that 80 per cent of the old city had been captured by their troops or abandoned by the Jews.

The end of the hectic three-day battle within the old city's walls, built four centuries ago by Suleiman the Magnificent, appeared to be in sight.

The Jews are holding a thin line extending north from the wall to the vicinity of the Chain, (a street). The Beit Yaacov synagogue is the central fortress of this line.

Trans-Jordan's Arab Legion was reported unofficially to have a firm hold on Zion Gate, a possible escape route for the Jews if they could cut their way through the Armenian quarter, chiefly in Legion control.

Legion gunners in the new city steadily forced back Jewish detachments from the northern perimeter of the Meah Shearim quarter, which includes the Abyssinian church, the Russian cathedral, the Lew courts and the central prison.

The thrust, which carried the Legion along the Ramallah road from Jerusalem's northern limits to the old city's Damascus gate, now has become a raging struggle to clear the Jews from positions in Allenby square, north of the gate.

I heard a torrent of machine-gun fire from this direction during the afternoon.

**Shell University**

Arab volunteers shelled Hebrew university on Mount Scopus briefly, scoring at least two hits in an attempt to silence Haganah snipers who had been raking the Ramallah road.

In southwestern Jerusalem, Haganah reportedly evacuated the government printing building, but clung to the railway station. A short distance eastward is government house, former residence of the British high commissioner and now flying the flag of the International Red Cross as a refugee collection point.

**Claim Added Advances By Max Boyd**

CAIRO, Egypt, May 20—(AP)—Trans-Jordan's Arab Legion claimed possession or access to 80 per cent of Jerusalem's old city tonight and advanced steadily against retreating Jewish fighters in the new city.

In the new city, Legion gunners forced back Jewish detachments from the northern edge of the Meah Shearim quarter and carried them into positions for a raging battle to clear the Jews from Allenby square. Arabs also bombarded Senbedryia, a Jewish quarter northeast of Jerusalem which temporarily is menacing the right flank of the Arabs' southward sweep.

Haganah was reported to have evacuated its stronghold in the government printing building in southwestern Jerusalem, but still held the railway station.

The Jewish and Arab air forces swapped blows during the day in aerial activity featured by the emergence of the Jewish air fighters. The Jews took to the air in an effort to check the initial phase of an Arab drive to cut off Zionist settlements in northeast Palestine from Israel's main strength in the coastal plain.

**Marriage Licenses Issues**

Clayton A. Young, Smithton, and Alice Jean Cramer, Sedalia.

Robert B. Cain, and Anna Mae Gerster, both of Sedalia.

Robert L. Ream, Hughesville, and Betty Jean Goode, Sedalia.

## *UCT Officers at Convention Here*



Eugene M. Bonham, (right) Springfield, Grand Secretary of Missouri for the United Commercial Travelers, holding their 59th annual convention here, member of the Supreme Board of Governors, and Harry J. Grisser (left), St. Louis, Grand Counselor, who is presiding at all sessions as the ranking head of the Missouri Grand jurisdiction.

## Grand Council, Missouri UCT, In Convention

### Business Session Opened Thursday At Elks Home

The opening session of the Grand Council of Missouri, United Commercial Travelers of America, was held at the Elks Club Thursday afternoon with the Grand Counselor, H. J. Griesser, presiding.

The address of welcome was given by Julian H. Bagby, Mayor of Sedalia with the response by Eugene M. Bonham, Springfield, Grand Secretary.

The secretary-treasurer's meeting was held at 10:00 o'clock that morning at the Elks Club with Grand Secretary Eugene M. Bonham, of Springfield, presiding.

**Officers Of Counselors**

The highlight of the activity of the Grand body for the closing period of the first day session was the annual dinner of the Past Grand Counselors of Missouri, which was held at 6:30 o'clock that evening in the Palm room of the Bothwell hotel, with Harry J. Frederic, of St. Louis, president of the governing body of the Grand Council, in charge of the meeting.

At the Grand Counselors meeting, the following officers were elected: M. T. Davis, Aurora, President for the next year; R. C. Grissom, Carthage, 1st Vice President; William H. Carr, Nevada, 2nd Vice President.

The convention will end Saturday.

The remainder of the afternoon was devoted to the business session.

**Officers Here**

Officers of the Grand Council of Missouri here to attend the convention are:

Grand Counselor, H. J. Grisser, St. Louis.

Grand Junior Counselor, Geo. Stump, Sr., Carthage.

Grand Past Counselor, C. V. Porter, Nevada.

Grand Secretary, E. M. Bonham, Springfield.

Grand Treasurer, F. J. Guignon, St. Louis.

Grand Conductor, M. L. Dellinger, Springfield.

Grand Page, H. A. Lawrence, St. Louis.

Grand Sentinel, D. H. Finch, St. Louis.

Executive Committee, F. K. Jinnings, Springfield; A. D. Keller, Kansas City; J. W. Fogel, Aurora.

Grand Chaplain, C. E. E. Devinney, St. Louis.

Grand Auditing Committee, L. P. Janson, St. Louis; W. W. Brothers, Hannibal; M. T. Davis, Aurora.

Legislative and Grievance Chairman, E. H. Howerton, Carthage.

Publicity Chairman, M. E. Weltin, Carthage.

Grand Promotional Committee, E. M. Bonham, Chairman, Springfield; W. W. Brothers, Hannibal; F. G. Burger, St. Joseph; C. H. Koger, Kansas City; M. E. Weltin, Carthage.

Supreme Council officers in attendance.

Frank J. Roeser, F. S. Stratman, both of St. Louis, Past Supreme Counselors.

W. L. Walker, Erie, Pennsylvania, Supreme Conductor.

E. M. Bonham, Springfield, Member of Supreme Board of Governors.

**Luncheon For Women**

A 1:00 o'clock luncheon was given at the Old Missouri Homestead for the women attending the U. C. T. convention, with about thirty-five present.

Arrangements of orange blossoms were used in decorations. Miniature baskets in the U. C. T. colors of blue and gold were filled with rose mints and were at each place. Place cards were a floral design of sweet peas.

The welcome was given by Mrs. F. W. Koenig and the invocation was by Mrs. E. F. Wilson.

The afternoon was spent in playing cards and other games.

**Woodland Hospital Notes**

Admitted for tonsillectomy: Bobby Mehrens, son o Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Mehrens of Lincoln.

Dismissed: Mrs. Herman Neiderkohr, Gary, O.

## Senate Group Reverses on Sikeston Men

### Will Not Require Them to Testify On 'Vote Prizes'

WASHINGTON, May 20—(AP)—A senate subcommittee, reversing itself twice today, finally decided it would not require Sikeston, Mo. citizens to testify concerning a "get-out-the-vote" prize award plan in 1946.

Charles L. Blanton, Jr., Sikeston newspaper editor and N. E. Fuchs, Jr., had declined to answer the questions in connection with the plan unless ordered to do so.

The committee decided yesterday they would not have to answer questions which they believed might in any way incriminate them. Shortly before noon today the committee decided to compel them to answer.

**Changed Decision**

After another private session this afternoon, it decided not to require them to answer questions over their objections.

Blanton and Fuchs left for Missouri after agreeing to return if the committee wished.

Grover Baker, Sikeston landowner, then voiced his objections to answering questions concerning the plan. He too was told the committee would not require him to answer.

The committee is considering President Truman's nomination of Roy W. Harper to be a federal district judge in Missouri.

Several witnesses have testified Harper had nothing to do with the plan. Chairman Donnell (R-Mo) has asked witnesses if Harper failed to inquire into whether the plan was illegal and whether he had made any attempt to stop the drawings.

**Reason For Not Answering**

When Blanton was called to the Donnell had indicated by questions he believed the plan used witness stand yesterday he said in Richland township, Scott county, and in other southeast Missouri counties, violated state corrupt practice laws.

For that reason, Blanton said, he would answer no questions about the plan or the drawing for prizes unless compelled to do so by the committee. If directed, he said he could claim constitutional immunity from his testimony being used against him in any court action.

After a conference yesterday, Donnell and Senator Eastland (D-Miss) the only two committeemen present, agreed not to require Blanton to answer questions he felt might incriminate him. Fuchs took a similar stand this morning.

**Held Conference**

As Donnell was about to conclude questioning of Fuchs, Senator Moore (R-Okla), third member of the committee, came into the committee room. He spoke to Donnell. The latter recessed the hearing, and the three committee members conferred privately. Donnell later announced the committee had decided unanimously to compel Blanton and Fuchs to answer the questions.

Both witnesses said they would be glad to do so under committee orders.

M. E. Montgomery, Sikeston's Democratic magistrate, real estate dealer, and former prosecuting attorney, testified that while handbills were circulated about the get-out-the-vote plan in Richland township indicating it was being conducted by the Richland township Democratic club, actually there was no such formal organization.

Discussing the Sikeston's prize drawing, he said "the irony of it all is that I understand the Republicans got more prizes than we Democrats."

## Army Picture at Reservists Meeting

A meeting of the Reserve Officers and Enlisted Reservists was held at the Sedalia Armory Ninth street and Ohio avenue, Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Lt. Commander, James M. Blue was in charge of the meeting.

An army picture was shown following the meeting, entitled, "Here's Germany."

Inactive duty training credits was given to those attending.

## Rev. Campbell to Fulfill Promise

In 1945, the Reverend T. B. Farry, then of Nevada, and 99 years of age, wrote the Rev. H. U. Campbell, pastor of the Fifth Street Methodist church here, and formerly of Nevada, he did not feel well, believed he was not going to live long, and asked Rev. Campbell to preach his funeral sermon.

Thursday morning the Rev. Farry died, at the age of 101, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Esther Horner, in Joplin, and Rev. Campbell will preach the funeral sermon, in the Methodist church in Nevada, where both have served as pastors.

Rev. Farry will be buried in Wright City.

A son, Otis Farry, of St. Louis, also survives.

## Expect Record Primary Vote

### Election Today in Oregon Arouses Great Interest

PORTLAND, Ore., May 20—(AP)—A record Republican vote is in prospect for tomorrow's primary election on which Gov. Thomas E. Dewey and Harold E. Stassen are staking much of their presidential hopes.

A good 65 or 70 per cent of Oregon's record registration of 322,490 GOP voters are expected to ballot, and election interest reached an un-precedented pitch today in the closing hours of the slam-bang primary campaign.

Political prospectors were finding little worthwhile pay dirt in their search for clues to the outcome.

In most qualified quarters, the Dewey-Stassen tussle for Oregon's Republican presidential preference and its 12 GOP convention votes was rated about even. What odds were in evidence—and they were few—ran to 6-5 and take your choice.

As the last presidential preferential primary before the June 21 nominating convention, the Oregon primary bears significantly upon the course which the convention may take in nominating a Republican standard bearer for 1948.

**"Play For Stakes"**

The favorable psychological impact of a primary victory tomorrow has been recognized by both Dewey and Stassen. As a result, the chips were down in a play for stakes considered to be far more important than Oregon's relatively few convention votes.

An Oregon win would represent an important success for the big, balding Minnesotan.

For the man with the mustache, a win would cast him in something of the role of giant-killer and the one Republican contender so far able to stop the barnstorming Minnesotan in a clear test of strength.

Oregon Democrats, meanwhile, enjoyed the Republican spectacle from the sidelines.

President Truman was unopposed for the Democratic preference and his designation was just a formality.

The big stars of the Oregon political show meanwhile ended their three weeks of campaigning on an acrimnious note.

Stassen accused Dewey of teaming up with Senator Robert A. Taft of Ohio in an "eastern combination" to stop him, and spending $250,000 in the process.

The New Yorker retorted that Stassen was "degrading" the campaign with "feckless and flagrantly untruthful statements," and "desperate, irresponsible eleventh hour tactics."

From Washington today, Senator Taft got into the act by saying flatly "no Taft committee or supporter has spent one cent in Oregon, nor have we participated in any other way in the Oregon campaign."

## Vote on Whether Tn End Strike

CHICAGO, May 20—(AP)—The director of the CIO meat strike tonight predicted that striking workers would vote to return to work at all struck plants except Wilson and Co.

Some 100,000 CIO Packinghouse Workers voted throughout the country today and tonight at mass meetings whether to end their nine weeks old strike—on company terms.

Herbert March, UPWA strike director, said the vote would be close for returning to work at Swift, Cudahy and Armour plants but that the union was urging Wilson workers to vote no. He said the voting was being conducted company by company.

March said the workers were voting on these proposals:

Acceptance of a nine-cent hourly wage hike, retroactive to the March 16 strike calling.

Retention of all seniority rights.

Arbitration with the company on possible discharge of those workers accused of unlawful acts.

March said that Wilson and company's proposals "would mean destruction of our union."

## Rev. R. G. Lee Heads Baptists

### Move Considered Against Dr. Norris, Fundamentalist

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 20—(AP)—The Rev. Robert G. Lee of Memphis was elected president of the Southern Baptist convention tonight.

He defeated the Rev. John K. Buchanan of Birmingham, Ala., a close friend of retiring President Louie Newton of Atlanta, Ga. The breakdown of the 5,700 ballots cast was not announced by conventions officials.

Dr. Lee's election came shortly after the convention amended its constitution to ban representatives of churches not "sympathetic with its purposes and work" from taking part in proceedings.

Dr. Lee, 61, is pastor of Bellevue Baptist church, which convention officials say is the largest white church east of the Mississippi river. It has more than 7,700 members.

The new president, born on a farm near Fort Mills, S. ., is the first pastor in a host city to be elected a convention president.

Other officers elected were: The Rev. Porter Bailes, Tyler, Tex., first vice-president; Makey W. Jarman, Nashville, Tenn., second vice-president; Porter Routh and the Rev. Joe Burton of Nashville, re-elected secretaries; and the Rev. Duke McCall, reelected treasurer.

The constitutional amendment was interpreted by convention leaders as a move against Dr. J. Frank Norris, fundamentalist pastor of First Baptist church, Fort Worth, Tex., and a frequent critic of the convention.

The amendment was proposed by the Rev. L. E. Barton of Montgomery, Ala., convention parliamentarian.

"I don't mind this convention being criticized from within by its friends," Barton said, "but I don't like to have it criticized from within by its enemies." The statement brought applause from the crowded convention hall.

President Newton called for a standing vote, and reported no dissenting votes cast.

The convention voted to hold its 1949 meeting in Oklahoma City, Okla., starting May 18.

Earlier, the convention endorsed a supreme court decision against religious education in public schools. It repeated its opposition to the presence of President Truman's representative in the Vatican.

Action on the New Mexico Baptists' offer of a western assembly ground near Santa Fe was deferred.

## The Daily Washington Merry-go-Round

*by Drew Pearson*

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WASHINGTON, Thursday, May 20—George Polk, the American news commentator, whose bullet-pierced, bound-up body was found in Salonika bay, wrote me a letter before his death about his troubles with the Greek government. Based on this letter and otherwise, evidence points to the probability that Rightist forces within the government were responsible for Polk's murder.

In the first place, only the Greek government had access to his broadcasts. Only they knew how critical he had been of the Greek Rightist attempts to sabotage the American reconstruction program. The Greek guerillas, on the other hand, had everything to gain from the interview with Polk which he sought.

In addition, all sorts of obstacles had been placed in Polk's path. The Greek government did not want him in Greece and did everything possible to get him out. Here is a sample of Greek obstruction:

"During the past four days, I have been trying to make arrangements for flying to Salonika," Polk wrote. "I've been to the foreign ministry press section, to the Greek air force headquarters, to the Greek commercial air line, and to the government air travel priority department. Today, after four days of leg work and innumerable telephone calls, I have not succeeded in making any arrangements.

"Everything is tied up in red tape. The airlines will not say whether they have a seat or not. First, I've got to produce a priority. But I can't get the priority until I give the seat number and flight number and date of the plane I will take. So, back and forth I've been like a tennis ball. The plan is to make me fret myself into a tizzy — or perhaps give up the trip. Yet if I made an issue of all this red tape, everybody would blandly say that Polk is simply 'impatient'."

**Polk Was a Battler**

George Polk was a fighter, whether as newspaperman or in the service of his country. During the war as a navy pilot he was in the thick of the battle of Guadalcanal, broke his back in a crash landing, came home to fight for unification of the army and navy.

One of the things that griped him was his memory of an army pilot sinking in the water with the navy refusing to rescue him until it cleared with the army.

In Greece, George fought the grafters and the rightwing extremists. An article in Harper's magazine told a revealing story. In writing to me, he told how reactionaries in the government sought to discredit the American newsmen who were critical. Apparently he had some premonition of trouble, for he said: "The rightwing is trying to get a number of us discredited or removed from Greece."

## Navy's P2V Neptune Is Launched

### Longest Range Plane in World Flown From Carrier Off Virginia Capes

WASHINGTON, May 20—(AP)— The longest range plane in the world, the navy's P2V Neptune, has been successfully launched from an aircraft carrier, it was learned today.

A navy official, who refused to allow use of his name, said the Neptune was launched with jet power assistance from the 45,000-ton carrier, Coral Sea, off the Virginia capes last month. The craft flew to a landing on shore.

This type of plane—a two-engine craft—set the world distance record of 11,235 miles on a flight from Perth, Australia, to Columbus, Ohio, in 1946.

Earlier the air force had reported that a B-36 bomber had made an 8,000-mile flight on a simulated bombing mission. This was described as probably the longest flight in history with a payload.

The Navy official, who described the Neptune's take-off from the carrier, said the plane could be modified so as to make a landing on the carrier.

**Weighs 70,000 Pounds**

The Neptune weighs some 70,000 pounds, and would land with an impact force of about one and one-half times this weight, he said.

He said the amount of strain that a carrier deck can stand when a plane lands is the limiting factor in how big a craft can set down on one.

Allowing a safety factor, the Naval official told a reporter, the carrier deck would have to stand over 200,000 pounds stress.

He said the Neptune was not intended to carry bombs off a carrier, but would be extremely useful in long-distance anti-submarine patrol.

The purpose of the experiment was to see whether search missions of 3,000 to 4,000 miles are feasible, he said.

**Built in Texas**

The B-36, built by Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corporation at Fort Worth, Tex., is powered by six 3,000-horsepower engines buried in the wing. The propellors are behind the wing. The plane weighs nearly 140 tons.

The air force has described the B-36 as a "10,000-mile bomber." It called the recent flight another step in the "continuing long range testing program."

The flight took place last Thursday and Friday, covering 36 hours. The big plane shuttled between Carswell airbase at Fort Worth and California, dropping a "sizeable, useful load of dummy bombs" about midway during the flight.

**Average Speed**

Average speed was given as 220 miles an hour.

The world distance record is 11,235 miles—Perth, Australia, to Columbus, Ohio—set by a two-engine navy patrol plane in 1946.

The B-36 is the largest combat type plane in the world. Its wing spread is 230 feet and it is 163 feet long. Its huge bomb bays can hold 36 tons.

However, its size has created serious problems in handling. The plane has made only one landing other than at Carswell, which adjoins the factory. That flight was to the air material command headquarters at Wright Field for testing purposes.

While many runways are long enough, some are not strong enough to accommodate the B-36. Taxi ways and parking areas able to bear the giant are particularly scarce.

## Conference of Rail Clerks Ends

The two day annual conference of the Brotherhood of Rail Clerks closed its session at the Bothwell hotel in the Ambassador Room, Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

The conference was conducted by William M. Crawford, Fort Worth, Tex. who spoke on the following subjects that night: Brotherhood policies and the reasons for their adoption; retirement, unemployment, sick or injury benefits, and social security act; the conduct of lodge meeting; tactics of organizing committees; and the use of parliamentary law.

**Decide Citizens Be Called Israelis**

TEL AVIV, May 20—(AP)—The provisional government of Israel has decided that its citizens will be called Israelis, not Israelites.

Foreign Minister Moshe Shertok told the Hebrew press that "Israelites was a name of Bible times. This is a modern state."

**Retired Teacher Killed By Truck**

JOPLIN, Mo., May 20—(AP)—Cyrus L. Morgan, 81, a retired Joplin school teacher, was killed by a truck while crossing highway 71 south of here late today. Trooper Vernon Coble of the state highway patrol said Morgan apparently became confused and jumped into the path of the truck when he was within a few feet of safety.

## Jacqueline Horner Is Again Missing

LOS ANGELES, May 20—(AP)—Jacqueline Horner, 14-year-old Hollywood pianist and actress who left her home last January and was found eight days later in San Francisco with a young sailor, was reported missing again today.

Sheriff Eugene W. Biscailuz said he had sent out an all-points broadcast for the girl's apprehension at the request of juvenile court.

After the disappearance last January the girl was returned to her mother, Mrs. Clara Horner. Jacqueline said there had been nothing wrong in her association with the sailor and investigators agreed with her.

## Graduation at Sacred Heart Hi Wednesday

### Seniors Told to go Forth With Wisdom, Fortitude and Faith

"Go forth tomorrow as an adult with fortitude, wisdom and faith," Father D. T. Murphy, Kansas City, told members of Sacred Heart high school graduating class in the commencement address delivered Thursday night, in the school hall.

Have fortitude and courage, he told them, to mee. your problems and responsibilities. Solve them yourself. If you shirk in this matter, he continued, some one may have to solve them for you and you may not like the way they solve them.

Use wisdom and judgment, he told them. Look at the overall picture, not just one phase of it. He likened this to a student studying only one subject in school, stating it is necessary, in taking one's place in the world, meeting responsibilities and being a worthwhile person, to have broad vision.

**Evening Program**

The graduates, in maroon colored caps and gowns, were seated on the flower-decorated stage, during the evening's program. There were several numbers by the school orchestra, directed by J. R. Deming, presentation of diplomas and awards by Father A. J. Brunswick, C.PP.S., pastor of the church; songs by the class, accompanied on the piano by Claude Boul, Jr., salutatory by Roseann Behrens and valedictory by Robert Barsch.

The evening concluded by repeating the Lord's prayer, led by Father Allen, recently ordained at Kendrick seminary, St. Louis, who is temporarily at Bahner, taking the place of Father Edward Owens, who is ill.

## Springfield Studying Sedalia Homes

SPRINGFIELD, May 20—(AP)—Tom McFarland, business agent for the carpenters union and president of the Building Trades Council here, will go to Sedalia tomorrow to seek an answer to the question:

Does it cost less to build a house in Sedalia than it does here?

It all came about Monday when Managing Director Louis Reps of the Chamber of Commerce looked over the audience at the weekly luncheon meeting, expressed regret that McFarland was not present and said:

"I'd like to ask Tom (McFarland) to go up to Sedalia and give us a reason why a house there is selling for $4750, while a similar house in Springfield is selling for $7350."

**Wants Answer**

McFagland said today he would "try to get a complete answer to Mr. Reps' question."

Reps visited Sedalia himself yesterday—and received a yes-and-no answer. Houses built conventionally are about the same in price, or even a trifle higher, in Sedalia than in Springfield, he found, despite a difference in wage scales in favor of Sedalia. On the other hand, he found prefabricated houses being constructed in Sedalia considerably cheaper than conventionally built houses in Springfield.

"The trip proved to me," Reps said, "that cheaper houses, down where people can afford them, can be built. After all, that's what we're after."

**Bothwell Hospital Notes**

James Anderson, Smithton, and Miss Shirley Ann Young, 801 East Fourteenth street, admitted for surgery.

Dismissals include Mrs. Lottie Meisenheimer, Smithton, Mrs. Robert Williams and infant son, 1209 South Grand avenue; Mrs. John Closser and baby girl, Beaman, and Mrs. Harold L. Baslee, Green Ridge, and infant son.

Dismissed: Mrs. Gordon Williams, 1007 East Ninth street; and Miss Martha Martin, 919 West Fifth street.

Admitted for medical treatment: William Burch, 1407 East Thirteenth street; Ike Morely, 714 East Fourth street and Tyler Jackson, Lincoln.

Admitted for minor surgery: Larry Reed, 805 East Thirteenth street and dismissed.

Admitted for medical treatment: W. E. Olmsted, 301 East Seventh street and Miss Katie Pregg, 1011 South Harrison avenue.

## Anxious Talks Be Resumed

### Coal Operators Group and Lewis Appear to be Firmly Split

WASHINGTON, May 20—(AP)—Soft coal operators urged tonight that wage contract talks be re-opened, but they and John L. Lewis still appeared firmly split on the issue of admitting a southern group of operators.

The negotiations broke up at their outset on this issue yesterday. Lewis opposed letting the Southern Coal Producers Association in, saying that in the past that group had attempted to veto contract agreements.

Tonight, all the operator group wrote Lewis:

"The position taken by the mine workers to exclude from the conference the Southern Coal Producers Association, which represents a large part of the tonnage of the industry, was a mistake and should not have been insisted upon to the point of breaking up the conference."

As for the veto point, the letter said "no single group on the operators' side has veto power." It said there is no unit rule on matters of policy.

Lewis had said that the operators had always used the unit rules by which one negotiator could block a contract settlement.

Joseph E. Moody, president of the Southern Association, said that tonight's letter merely expressed management solidarity and that it pointed out that the unit rule was abandoned 18 months ago.

**UMW Statement**

The United Mine Workers also got out a statement tonight. It said the southern operators wrecked the conference, that it "died aborning because of the action of a minority of the operators."

Lewis said earlier today he deplored talk of a new coal strike July 1. He singled out three leading operators as having the key to peace or war in the coal industry."

Lewis' deploring of the strike talk may have some significance.

Originarily the members of Lewis' United Mine Workers do not work without a contract and their present one is due to expire July 1. But Lewis told reporters:

In deploring talk of a strike now, Lewis said the initial breakdown of union-management conferences was "unfortunate and will make for a delay in the negotiations, and probably accentate the apprehension being built up in predictions of a possible stoppage in the mines."

Lewis said it was inconceivable that the union negotiators would agree to any contract which did not put a pension system into effect "and contractually abate the current cavilling on this subject."

There is nearly $50,000,000 (M) in a mine welfare fund that was to provide pensions but no pensions have been paid from it because of operator-union differences as to amount and method.

## To Call Off Talks For Time

LONDON, May 20—(AP)—Official United States sources said tonight that the four-power talks on an Austrian peace treaty will be called off indefinitely.

## Changes in Laws Governing Taxes

A letter from the office of the state auditor Forrest Smith to Miss Hazel Palmer, county collector, calls attention to a change in the date of sale of property sold for delinquent taxes and also of the change in the date taxes become delinquent.

In former years the sale of property, for delinquent taxes, was held in November. It will now be held the fourth Monday in August.

Taxes, which have been delinquent on February 1, now become delinquent on January 1.

## Rehearsals for Candle-Light Service

The Smith-Cotton Junior and Senior classes have been rehearsing for Candle-Light service which will be held Monday afternoon beginning at 3:00 o'clock.

Music director J. T. Alexander has been directing the rehearsals of the numbers the Junior and Seniors will sing in unison toward the last of the program, which are "Blest Be The Tie" and "God Of Our Fathers.' The high school orchestra will accompany the group.

The enthusiasm with which the students have been singing is reportedly excellent.

## *The Weather*

Partly cloudy, continued warm Friday, Friday night and Saturday; possibly few thunderstorms northern border Friday; highs Friday 84 to 88.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coffman, Sr., 1411 South Ohio avenue, announce the engagement of the their daughter, Mildred, of Colorado Springs, to Mrs. Leslie L. Bowers, Jr., of Colorado Springs, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Leslie L. Bowers, of Pueblo, Colo.

The wedding will take place in the late June.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Schlichting, 1229 South Stewart avenue, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Emma Lee, to David R. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Miller, 1206 south Moniteau avenue.

The wedding date is set for June 6.

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Mr. A. P. Stanfield, 1607 South Steward avenue, announces the engagement and approaching marriage of his daughter, Miss Alberta Stanfield to Mr. Karl John Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Berry, 1710 West Eleventh street.

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Miss Rita Adelaide Heitkamp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence F. Heitkamp, 435 Catalina avenue, Webster Groves, became the bride of Robert Waddell Ryan Saturday at 11:00 a. m. The ceremony was performed by Right Reverend Monsignor J. N. V. McKay, pastor of St. Peter's Parish, and took place at Mary Queen of Peace church, Glendale. Following the ceremony a breakfast was given by the bride's parents, at the Sheraton hotel for relatives of the bride and groom and friends.

The bride wore a white satin gown with a yoke of tulle outlined with medallions of seed pearls extending down the center of the sleeve to form a point. Her veil, fingertip length, was secured to a crown of orange blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of white larkspurs centered around a white orchid.

A sister of the bride, Miss Loretta J. Heitkamp, was the maid of honor. A life-long friend of the bride, Miss Catherine T. Fleming, bridesmaid. Their dresses of hyacinth marquisette had a wide pleated collar across the shoulders and vertical ruffles trimming the panels of the back of the skirt. Matching halos of net and bouquets of pink larkspur and carnations completed the costumes of the bridesmaids.

Mr. Ryan, whose father is Mr. Joseph J. Ryan, 308 South Grand avenue, was attended by Dr. William J. Ryan, uncle of the groom, Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald, cousin of the groom, both of Kansas City, and Mr. John J. Heitkamp, brother of the bride.

During the past two years Mr. Ryan made his home with his uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. George F. Donovan, 11 Glendale Road, Webster Groves.

Among relatives and friends who attended the wedding were his father, Mr. Joseph Ryan, Mrs. Ryan and their daughter, Miss Carolyn, his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frost Waddell, and Mrs. T. A. Wilding, of Sedalia.

Mr. James Waddell, of Milwaukee, Wis., Mr. W. Stockton Cotton, Santa Monica, Cal., the Misses Elizabeth and Frances Ryan and Mrs. Daniel Ryan, Mr. John Ryan, Mrs. William Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Fitzgerald, of Kansas City, Mo., Mrs. T. Doran Fitzgerald, of Normall, Ill.

Members of the clergy present in the sanctuary included: Right Reverend Monsignor P. J. Dooley, Dean of St. Louis county and pastor of Holy Redeemer church, the bride's parish, Rev. Joseph M. O'Toole, pastor, Our Lady Queen of Peace church, and the Rev. Robert A. Johnston, S. J., St. Louis University.

After a wedding trip north, Mr. Ryan and his bride will live in Hannibal, Mo.

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THE Ladies Day luncheon was held Thursday at the Sedalia Country Club.

Bridge ad mah jongg was played during the afternoon, with awards going to Mrs. John Heiss, Mrs. Ben Robinson, Mrs. W. F. Keyser and Miss Anna Gibbs, in bridge, and Mrs. Paul Hedderich and Mrs. J. C. Griffin in mah jongg.

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The marriage of Miss Hilda S. Sartin and Robert A. Cobb will take place at 4:00 o'clock this afternoon in the Methodist church in Warsaw. The Rev. John Stuart Mill, of Sedalia, minister of the Christian church, will read the double ring service.

Miss Joyce Robb, will be the maid of honor, and bridesmaids will be Miss Harriet Sandage, Miss Betty Jo Dawson, Miss Bonnie Sue Robb, Miss Jane White and Miss Joyce Christy.

Mr. Earl Cobb will serve as best man.

Ushers will be Mr. Billy McLaughlin and Mr. Billy Cobb.

Preceding the ceremony Miss Marian Freeman will sing, "I Love You Truly' accompanied by Mrs. Vernon Frieze. Mrs. Frieze will also play "The Rosary" and the nuptial music.

A reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sartin, in Warsaw, after which the couple will leave on a wedding trip to Florida.

Upon their return both will attend the Southwest Baptist college at Bolivar.

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Miss Melba Coit, who will be married in June to the Rev. Ted Akers, was honored with a crystal shower given at the home of Mrs. Jessie Prine, 918 West Seventh street, Friday night.

The home was decorated with arrangements of iris and orange blossoms, and the bride-to-be found her gifts, 36 pieces of Cheroke Rose crystal, by Tiffen, on the coffee table in the living room.

Games were played during the evening, with awards going to Miss Coit, this was a brass Chinese dinner bell; Mr. and Mrs. William Couhig, Miss Laura Monsees and Mrs. I. H. Lehmer.

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Guests were Miss Coit, Mrs. Robert Phillips, Miss Gracie Scott, Mr. C. F. Hert, Mr. and Mrs. William Couhig, Mrs. Martin Dodds, Miss Sonja Ohlsson, Miss Margaret Johnson, Miss Laura Monsees, Mr. Johnie Nero, Mr. I. H. Lehmer and Mrs. J. W. Anderson.



Miss Mildred Coffman, of Colorado Springs, formerly of Sedalia, whose engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. Leslie L. Bowers, Jr., of Colorado Springs, has been announced.

Those who were invited but were unable to attend were Miss Bettye Ellsworth, Mrs. Della Mae Guymen, Mr. Cecil Harris, Miss Lureen Keck, Mrs. D. P. Dyer, Miss Marie Albers, Miss Edna Monsees, Miss Nadine Kroenke and Mis Melba Maynard.

The hostess was assisted in serving refreshments of ice cream in the shape of pink roses and individual cakes, by Miss Gracie Scott and Miss Sonja Ohlsson, both of whom she presented with a gift.

At the close of the evening Miss Coit was presented with her favorite record, "The Missouri Waltz," which was played.

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Mrs. S. J. Lutjen gave a shower at her home, 403 West Twentieth street, on Thursday evening, April 23, in honor of Sgt. and Mrs. Marvin Lutjen, who were married April 3, 1948.

Mrs. Lutjen was formerly Mrs. Cora Lindemann, daughter of Mrs. Minnie Young. Sgt. Lutjen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Lutjen, 403 West Twentieth street.

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OSAGE Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet May 22 for the regular monthly meeting at Otterville, Mo., in the home of Mrs. W. L. Layne.

Wills—Wise and Otherwise will be discussed by Miss Hazel Palmer. Cars are leaving Sedalia at 1:00 o'clock. The meeting will begin at 2:00 o'clock.

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Sedalia Circle No. 310, Daughters of Isabella, held its regular monthly business meeting Wednesday evening at the K. of C. hall, with twenty-five ladies attending. Mrs. Felix Sullivan, Regent, presided.

Because of illness, Mrs. Frank V. Mehl tendered her resignation as recording secretary, and Mrs. Norbert White was elected to finish her unexpired term of office.

The following new members were taken into the Circle: Mrs. Maude Karigan, Mrs. Delphia Self, Mrs. Charles Keller, Mrs. Francis Mergen, Mrs. Eugene Reedy and Mrs. Martin McFadden.

After the meeting a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments of pie and coffee were served by the social committee, with Mrs. Carl Frank, chairman.

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The annual installation luncheon of Temple Beth El Sisterhood was held at the Old Missouri Homestead on Wednesday, at 1 p. m.

The long tables with their snowy linens, silver candelabra, and beautiful flowers, were set in the garden. The menu, a most delicious one, was in keeping with the high traditions of the Old Missouri Homestead.

There were several out of town guests.

The blessing was given by Mrs. Sol Mindell.

After the luncheon, Mrs. Morris Sagaloff, president, called the meeting to order. She voiced the thanks of all members to Mrs. Abe Rosenthal, Mrs. Al Fabry and Mrs. Sam Raskin, for the lovely table setting and installation arrangements.

Mrs. Louis Isgur, secretary, presented her annual report for the year.

Mrs. Ida Dolginoff, treasurer, gave her report on the year's finances.

Mrs. Abe Rosenthal, presiding as mistress of ceremonies, introduced Mrs. Arthur Kahn, who presented a very beautiful and deserving tribute to the out going officers.

Mrs. Sylvain Kahn conducted the installation service. The new officers are:

Mrs. Ray Jiedel, president.

Mrs. Bert Goldman, vice president.

Mrs. Harold Silberstein, secretary.

Mrs. Ida Dolginoff, treasurer.

Mrs. Sagaloff passed the gavel to Mrs. Jiedel, who responded in a few well chosen words.

The afternoon ceremonies were concluded by the entire membership reciting the 23rd Psalm.

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Mrs. Virginia Rose Moore, 815 West Third street, entertained with a dinner Friday night at the Old Missouri Homestead honoring the senior class of the Houstonia high school of which she is the sponsor.

As the group was being seated the organist played "School Days" which was a surprise to them, but they at once began singing it.

The table was centered with an arrangement of roses, and place cards were diplomas tied with the school colors with their names on them.

Members of the class are Dick Tolson, class president, Billie Dean Rhinehart, council president; Loretta Hayes, senior vice president; LaVerne Tevis, secretary-treasurer; James Harris, James Biles, Bertha Kriesel, R. W. Mitchell, Nat Abbey, Clifford Dawson, Bernice Nutt and Robert Charles.

Mrs. Moore had as a special guest a sorority sister, Miss Laverne Ficka, of Warrensburg.

The class sent to Mrs. Moore a corsage of American Beauty rosebuds which she wore to the dinner.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gerster and daughter, Miss Anna Mae Gerster, 621 East Tenth street, had as their dinner guests last Sunday Mrs.



Miss Emma Lee Schlichting, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Schlichting, 1229 South Stewart avenue, whose engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. David R. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Miller, 1206 South Moniteau avenue, is announced today by her parents.

Gerster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hall, of Jefferson City, her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hall, and sons Roger and Gerald, and her sister, Mrs. Earl Hamilton and Mr. Hamilton, all of Wilmington, Cal., Robert Cain, of Sedalia, Mrs. Eula Belle Robinson and son, Johnnie, of Jefferson City, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerster's daughters and their husbands, Mrs. Robert J. Murray and Mr. Murray, of Lawrence, Kas., and Mrs. Rex Taggart, Mr. Taggart and daughter, Karen, of Kansas City, Kas. There were four generations of the family present at the dinner.

Lt. Raymond Hall, Mrs. Gerster's brother, and the only member of the family who could not be with them, started by plane from Westoverfield, Mass., where he is stationed, and was grounded at Dayton.

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Mrs. Leona M. Harness, of Warrensburg, announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Blanche, to Mr. Henry Krosbein, of Concordia.

The date set for the marriage is June 12.

Miss Harness was for several years with the Sedalia school system in Sedalia.

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Miss Yvonne Bohon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Bohon, 509 West Sixth street, entertained four couples Thursday evening with a buffet supper at her home, in honor of the graduation of the four boys.

An arrangement of roses formed the centerpiece from which were silver and white ribbons to little scrolls in the form of diplomas bearing the names. Lighted white tapers in crystal holders were on either side of the centerpiece.

Guests were Bill Monsees, Beverly Haggard, Emmett Fairfax, Esther Leiter, Kenneth Walker, Mary Lou Colvin, Richard Smith and Yvonne Bohon.

After the dinner the group attended the show.

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THE Beta Tau chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi met Thursday evening at the home of Miss Margaret Karigan, 235 South Missouri avenue.

The business meeting was devoted to making plans for meetings during the summer.

A social hour was enjoyed, at which time refreshments were served by the hostess.

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The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Blanche Harness, of Kansas City, formerly af Sedalia, to Mr. Henry Kronsbein, of Concordia, was announced at a party given by Miss Ruth McCune and Mrs. Virgil Ellis at the country home of the latter near Marshall on Saturday, May 8.

The announcement was made by playing a record composed of music and dialogue telling the date of the marriage. The record was made by Misses Frances and Mary Helen Meyer, of Kansas City, close friends, who formerly taught in the Sedalia schools with Miss Harness. Miniature records were then passed to each guest. On these were the words, Blanche and Henry, June 12, 1948.

Bridge, rummy and crazy checkers were the diversions of the afternoon with awards in bridge going to Miss Ann Sawford and Miss Orene Parker. Mrs. Leona M. Harness received the award in crazy checkers and in rummy Mrs. Kenneth Harness and Miss Hary Helen Meyer won the awards.

Refreshments were served to the following: Miss Harness, her mother, Mrs. Leona Harness, Mrs. Lawrence Harness, Mrs. Kenneth Harness and Mrs. Raymond Foster, of Warrensburg; Mrs. Louella McCune of LaMonte and Mrs. Joe K. Jenkins of Hughesville, mothers of the hostesses; Mrs. Lula Meyer, Miss Grace Duncan, Misses Frances and Mary Helen Meyer and Miss Virginia Younger, of Kansas City; Mrs. E. O. Price of LaMonte; Miss Marian Smith of Jefferson City; and Miss Edyth Couey, Miss Florence Hert, Miss Nell Longan, Miss Ann Sawford, Miss Orene Parker, Miss Hazel Barnett, Miss Bessie Perkins, Misses Catherine and Frances Garman, Mrs. Alma Hausam, Mrs. Bryan Howe, Mrs. John Miers, Mrs. Harold Fimple and Mrs. O. R. Catron, all of Sedalia.

Other guests invited but unable to attend were Mrs. Maurice Wasson, Mrs. Singleton Ray, Mrs. Walter Ehlers and Miss Ida Cruzan, of Seidala; Miss Carrie Kronsbein, of Concordia; Mrs. T. O. Jenkins, of Kansas Sity and Miss Nellie Horridge of Lee's Summit.

Miss Harness, now teaching in Bristol school in Kansas City, formerly resided at 519 West Fourth street in Sedalia and taught a number of years in the Sedalia schools.

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The Ruth Circle of the Women's Guild of the Immanuel Evangelical and Reformed church met at the home of Mrs. William Schwermer, of 1120 East Tenth street, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Lottie Meisenheimer assisted in serving a dessert luncheon to seventeen members.

Mrs. William Bessmer led a service of worship and based her meditation on "The Radiant Christian Home."

Mrs. Ernest Liebel reviewed a section of the study book, "Committed Unto Us," by Willis LaMott. She said: "The best form of Evangelism is the example set by the Christian home."

Food for a box to be sent to Germany was collected by Mr. Michael Wolfel, social service chairman. Mrs. Fred Kueck presided during the business session.



Miss Patricia Griswold, daughter of Mrs. Lester C. Griswold, of Fortuna, whose engagement to Mr. Russell Palmer, of Tipton, has been announced by her mother.

Plans were made for the annual ice cream social which will be held June 11 in connection with the closing of the Vacation Bible school.

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Miss Mary Ann Hildebrandt, daughter of Mrs. E. H. Hildebrandt, 1006 West Sixth street, who is a student at Central College, Fayette, Mo., arrived home to spend the week-end with her mother. She was accompanied by Miss Ann Kull, Richmond, Mo., also a student at the college.

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Mrs. Virginia Rose Moore attended the annual banquet of the Kappa Mu Epsilon, honorary math fraternity, which was held in Warrensburg at Riggles on Monday evening.

Mrs. Moore was the outgoing president of the fraternity.

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Mr. Alice J. Nace and James M. Parsley, both of Sedalia, were married at 10:30 o'clock Monday morning at the home of the officiating minister, the Rev. Herbert D. Woodruff, 201 East North street, Warrensburg.

Mrs. Nace is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Boling of west of Warrensburg.

The bride wore a street length dress of navy blue, pink accessories and a shoulder corsage of red rosebuds. Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Boling and granddaughter, Nada Nace, attended the ceremony. Mrs. Boling and little Miss Nace wore corsages of sweet peas.

Mrs. Parsley is a graduate of Leeton High school and has been a beautician in Sedalia for more than a year. Mr. Parsley is employed by the Missouri Pacific railroad in Sedalia, and they are at home at 1608 East Broadway.

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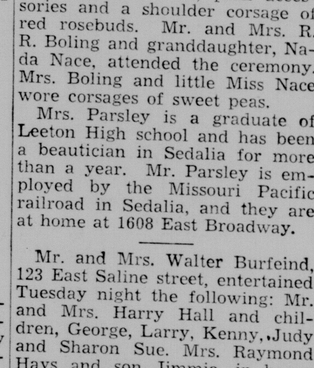
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burfeind, 123 East Saline street, entertained Tuesday night the following: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hall and children, George, Larry, Kenny, Judy and Sharon Sue. Mrs. Raymond Hays and son Jimmie, in honor of the birthday anniversaries of Jimmie Hayes, whose birthday was May 4, Sharon Sue Hall, whose birthday was May 6th, and Mrs. Raymond Hays, whose birthday was May 10th.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Mrs. Burfeind is a sister of Mr. Hall and Mrs. Hays.

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The Game Day luncheon was held Tuesday afternoon at the Heard Memorial Club House, with one table of players staying for bridge during the afternoon.

Reservations for the luncheon next Tuesday must be in by Monday noon.



Sgt. and Mrs. Marvin Lutjen, who were married April 3, 1948 at St. Paul's Lutheran church in Sedalia. Mrs. Lutjen was formerly Mrs. Cora Lindemann, daughter of Mrs. Minnie Young. Sgt. Lutjen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Lutjen of 403 West Twentieth street.

Miss Patricia L. Morrow, will be graduated from the Fine Arts Department of Murray State College, Murray, Ky., May 31 with a Bachelor of Music Education degree.

She has maintained an honor roll scholastic standing and has completed the requirements for her degree in three years. Having been selected by the faculty as their most outstanding girl mu-



Miss Morrow

sician of the year, her name will be placed in Fine Arts Hall on the bronze plaque designed for such purposes. At a recent meeting the Sigma Alpha Iota, National Music Fraternity, which she served as president, she was awarded the 'Sword of Honor," an emblem signifying maxium service to the local chapter.

Miss Patricia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Morrow of Green Ridge and a former violin pupil of Mrs. J. M. Rodeman.

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MISS Markie Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene V. Walker, of the Dean apartments, a student at Christian College, Columbia, was presented in a violin recital at the college, Thursday evening, by her teacher, Mrs. Margaret Tello.

Miss Walker is majoring in violin.

Mrs. Tello, Miss Walker's instructor, was a guest artist with the Sedalia Symphony orchestra last year.

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Mrs. E. F. Strickler, of 1301 East Ninth street, gave a surprise birthday party and dance at the Elks club Thursday night for her son, Jack Gold, who was celebrating his seventeenth birthday.

Those present were: Mary Alice Sheffield, Madge Cloney, Shirley Kantor, Donna Rae Knerl, Dorothy Ann Reed, Donna Marie Robinson, Louise Nan Chasnoff, Margaret Ann Wade, Ann Goist, Wilma Schilb, Jean Strickler, Bob Hogan, Ross Brown, Carl Hoffman, Jimmie Dittmer, Charles Edwards, Buddy Bolton, Leo Eichoff, Lee Wear, Leroy Iuchs, A. J. Campbell and the honoree, Jack Gold.

Games were played and refreshments were served. Mrs. Strickler was assisted by Mrs. Joe Brown.

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Game night will be held at the Sedalia Country Club Tuesday night, with the supper to be served at 6:30 o'clock. Reservations must be in by Monday noon.

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The following members, Mrs. F. E. Helman, Mrs. Wilford Asker, Mrs. C. A. Stoddard, Mrs. E. H. Boltz, Mrs. B. F. Whittall, Mrs. E. J. Sims, Miss Nellie Jones and Mrs. J. M. Palmer of the Green Ridge Garden Club were guests of the Knob Noster Garden Club at a picnic held at Camp No. 2 in the State Park near Knob Noster on Wednesday afternoon, May 12.

The president of the Knob Noster club, Mrs. Frank Neitzert opened the meeting and held a short business session. The Green Ridge club presented the program. The program chairman, Mrs. J. M. Palmer opened the program with a short poem, "For Remembrance." Mrs. Wilford Asker presented a very interesting talk on "The Trees, Shrubs and Flowers of the State of California." Mrs. Palmer closed the program with a poem, "To a Missouri May Pole Queen" Ruth Yoland Shaw. After the program, a picnic luncheon was served at the Lodge before the fire in the open fireplace. Decorations were May baskets filled with flowers which were presented to the guests as favors. A decorated Maypole was the main decoration and bouquets of peonies and iris added a touch of springtime to the setting.

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The Service Circle of Chapter 57, O. E. S., will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Cord Bohling Wednesday, May 19, preceded by a contributive dinner at noon.

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Roy Anderson of near Hughesville, was surprised on his birthday anniversary Sunday when relatives and friends gathered at his home for a dinner to which all contributed.

Those present besides Mr. and Mrs. Anderson were their son, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson and children, Mary Louise and Buddy, Mr. Anderson's sister, Mrs. Clyde DeHaven and Mr. DeHaven, his three aunts, Mrs. William Rudy, Miss Hattie Godbey and Mrs. Anna Blythe, and two brothers, Richard Anderson, and Raymond Anderson, wife and children, Carl, Warren and Agnes and Miss Mary Berry.

During the afternoon his daughter, Mrs. Charles Riley, also, was with him.

Several relatives who had planned to attend the dinner were unable to do so because of illness in their families.

A large birthday cake centered the table.

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Twenty-six members of the Sedalia Country Club enjoyed a shrimp dinner at the club Friday evening.

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A crystal shower was given by Mrs. Charles Thompson, at the home of Mrs. W. C. Cramer Friday night for Miss Betty Goode, who will be married to Robert Landis Ream, May 21.

Bingo was played, after which the bride-to-be opened her gifts. Refreshments were served to the following guests: Helen Schnider, Ruth Haerle, Elaine Warren, Margaret Liming, Mrs. L. G. Whitfield, Mrs. Ray Nelson, Mrs. John McFarland, Mrs. James W. Ream, Mrs. A. P. Stanfield, Mrs. Claude Medsker.

Those invited and unable to attend were: Mrs. George Arbuckle, Mrs. T. J. Ream, Jo Ann Schott, Mrs. Wayne Martin, Mary Vogelsang, Mrs. Walter Bopp.

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The meeting of Garden Circle No. 1 was held at the Public Library due to the illness of Mr. R. R. Highleyman, at whose home the main meeting was to have been held.

Matters pertaining to the flower show were discussed and the plans were made and completed in which Circle 1 is to participate. The announcement was made that the marker to the memory of Mrs. Landon Welch will be dedicated at Sixteenth street and Barrett avenue Tuesday May 25.

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**Horace Mann Study Class Meets Tuesday**

The Horace Mann Parent Education Study class will meet Tuesday at 1:00 o'clock at the Liberty Park.

Members planning to attend are asked to meet at the school at 12:45 o'clock. Transportation will be furnished. In case of inclement weather, the meeting will be held in the school lunch room. This will be the final meeting for the year.



Mr. and Mrs. James R. Van Hook, of Florence, who were married May 8 at the East Sedalia Baptist church by the Rev. W. P. Arnold. Their attendants are Miss Mable Casdorph and Mr. Earl Barns. Mrs. Van Hook was formerly Miss Billie Jean Carver, daughter of Mrs. Mae Carver, of Florence. Mr. Van Hook is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Van Hook, of Florence.
(Lehmer Studio Photograph)



Miss Alberta Jean Stanfield, whose engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. Karl John Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Berry, 1710 West Eleventh street, has been announced by her father, Mr. A. P. Stanfield, 1607 South Steward avenue.

## Church News

A program was given by a group of talented high school students at the May meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Guild of the Congregational-Presbyterian church at the home of Miss Mabel DeWitt, 717 East Ninth street, Thursday evening. Members from the church choir also appeared on the program as is the custom of the Guild. The entire evening was devoted to music in recognition of National Music week: Hymn, Evening Prayer, a short paper on musical instruments in the Bible, Scripture, Palm 98, Mrs. Edith Leslie; violin, Call of the Plains, Goldmark, Mary Frances Burlingame; piano, Polotaise America (Carpenter), Anita Isgur; vocal, One Fine Day (Puccini) Mary Frances McCurdy; piano, Lake at Evening (Griffes) Ruth Ann Yunker; flute, Hungarian Pastoral Fantasy, Doppler, Patricia Opp, Ruth Ann Yunker; piano duet, Bolero (Moszkouski) Ruth Ann Yunker and Anita Isgur; chorus, My Green Cathedral (Hahn) Christine Landmann, Manan Keens, Margaret Ferguson, Mrs. Frank Yeager, Mrs. Licklider; hymn, Now the Day Is Over.

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The Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Murrell Hayden, 1701 West Sixteenth street, at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night.

Mrs. Lena Boothe will be in charge of the program.

Mrs. J. M. Palmer assised by Mrs. Roy Ragar was hostess to members of the Home Builders class of the Presbyterian Sunday school at her home in Green Ridge on Tuesday afternoon May 11.

The president, Mrs. Gordon Brownfield, presided over the business meeting, opening the meeting by reading a prayer. Routine business was disposed of. A committee was appointed, Mrs. W. C. Haynes, Mrs. Wilford Acker and Mrs. J. M. Palmer to take an inventory of the kitchen at the church, preparatory for a kitchen shower for the church.

A nice gift was presented by the class to Stephen Melvin Ray, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ray. Mrs. Wilford Acker presented the devotional service which was based on a Greek church that she visited while in the state of Florida on a Festival day.

There were fifteen members presnt and five children. Refreshments were served after the meeting closed and a social hour followed.

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Circles of the Woman's Council of the First Christian church will meet Thursday as follows:

Circle No. 1, Mrs. A. H. Wilks, chairman, will have an all day meeting at the church.

Circle No. 2, Mrs. A. B. Burke, chairman, will have a Mothers-Daughter banquet at the church Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock at the church, with special music and a guest speaker.

Circle No. 3, Mrs. Cord Bohling, chairman, will meet at 2:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Paul Read, Route 4, Sedalia.

Circle No. 4, Miss Tracey Berry, chairman, will meet at 2:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Hampton Haggard, Route 3, Sedalia.

Circle No. 5, Mrs .Ted Brown, chairman, will meet at 2:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. F. Keyser, 1004 West Fourth street.

Circle No. 6, Mrs. W. J. Lowrey, chairman, will meet at 2:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. E. Burnett, 501 West Eleventh street. The Rev. J. W. Watts, of the Broadway Christian church, will be the guest speaker.

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Circle No. 7 of the First Christian church met Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Carl O'Neel, 214 West Broadway, with Mrs. Glenn Ford and Mrs. Charles Patterson, Jr., as assistant hostesses. Mrs. Netti Cehle, who is a native of Belgium, was the guest speaker, telling in a most interesting way of the religion, education and customs of her native country.

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First Methodist church W. S. C. S. Circles will meet at follows:

No. 1, Mrs. A. C. Runge, chairman, with Mrs. G. A. Ragland, 812 West Henry street, at 2:00 o'clock the 20th. Mrs. Dora Buckley, assistant.

No. 2, Mrs. Earl Lugen, chairman, with Mrs. Roy Neighbors, 510 Dal-Whi-Mo Court, at 7:00 o'clock the 20th for dessert lunch. Mrs. Lee Peabody and Mrs. Heerman assistants.

No. 3, Mrs. G. H. Agney, chairman, with Mrs. G. A. Ragland, 812 West Henry street, at 1:15 o'clock the 18th. Mrs. R. E. Hopkins and Mrs. Paul Mowry, assistants.

No. 4, Mrs. H. L. Judd, chairman, with Mrs. E. C. Snavely, 908 South Grand avenue, for a dessert luncheon at 1:30 o'clock the 18th. Mrs. Scott assistant.

No. 5, Mrs. F. W. Koenig, chairman, with Mrs. W. P. Spaits, R.F.D. 5, at 2:00 o'clock the 20th. Mrs. Guy Berry, assistant.

No. 6, Mrs. Celectia Williams, chairman, will have a covered dish luncheon at the church at noon the 20th.

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The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist church will meet at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Ella Peithman, 1421 South Stewart avenue, with Miss Alberta Thomas as the assisting hostess.

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The Mariners club of the Broadway Presbyterian church will hold its regular monthly meeting Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock in the Service Building.

A covered dish supper will be served.

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The Loyal Sunday School class of the Epworth Methodist church enjoyed a hay ride and weiner roast at Clark's cabin, south of Smithton, Friday night.

Those attending were; Mrs. Anna Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Quint and Joyce Ann; Mr. and Mrs. Forest Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Oma Cox, Gary and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schumaker, Nevi Lee; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pruitt, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Marshall and Lary Joe, Mrs. William Starke and J. W.; and Mrs. Dollie Allcorn.



Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Semkin, who were married April 9 at the Lake Creek Methodist church south of Smithton. Mrs. Semkin was formerly Miss Betty Jean Meyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Meyer, of Smithton. Mr. Semkin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Semkin, of Florence.
(Lehmer Photo)

## Garden Circles Make Plans For Flower Show

Circle number five of the Sedalia Garden club met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Harold Hausam, 1007 West Third street, with Mrs. Charles Arnest and Mrs. Charles Solon assiting in serving a dessert course to 26 members, and four guests, Mr. George Worley, of Clinton, Mr. Otis Thornburn, of Warsaw, Mrs. William Solo and Mrs. F. E. Helman.

Mrs. P. L. Strole presided over the business meeting.

The Judging School to be held June 1, 2 and 3 was discussed and various committees for the Flower Show reported on the progress of the plans for the show.

Mrs. C. K. Parsons, program chairman, presented speakers who have an outstanding program. They were Mr. George Worley, of Clinton, of the Missouri Conservation Commission who spoke on "Whose Nest Is That?" Mr. Otis Thornburn of Warsaw, also with the Conservation Commission who showed two colored films, "Bird Portraits" and "The Year's at the Spring."

The flower exhibits were unusually beautiful. Awards in the exhibits were as follows: Mrs. S. O. Brill, received a first, second and third; Mrs. R. S. Haggard, two seconds and one third; Mrs. H. J. Hausam, a third and a second; Mrs. P. L. Strole, two firsts, a second and a third; Mrs. A. H. Bratten, three firsts and one second; Mrs. Charles Solon, a first and a second; Mrs. J. Fred King, a first and a fourth; Mrs. Lee Peabody, a first; Mrs. E. D. Bybee, a second and a third; Mrs. William J. Frost, a first and Mrs. Fred Wertz two firsts.

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Eighteen members of circle number six of the Sedalia Garden club motored to Clinton Friday for an all day meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hocker, former Sedalians.

Special guests were Trew Hocked of New York City, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hocker, well-known in Sedalia as an outstanding artist, who will leave soon for a year's study of art in Paris, and Mrs. Hocker's mother, Mrs. Iva Hoffman, of Sedalia.

At noon a dinner was served near an open fireplace where Trew Hocker prepared hamburgers. Other food included both baked and green beans, combination salad, home grown greens, radishes, onions, coffee, strawberries and whipped cream.

Much time was spend admiring the beautiful landscaped garden, especially the rose garden with hundreds of roses in bloom.

Mrs. Roy Gerster presided over the business meeting which consisted of plans for the Flower Show May 22.

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Circle number eight of the Sedalia Garden club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. A. Meyer, 520 North Quincy avenue for a 1:00 o'clock dessert luncheon.

The business meeting was presided over by the president, Mrs. W. L. Fuqua.

Mrs. Fred Kueck was the guest speaker and discussed arrangement, display and judging of flowers.

In exhibits Mrs. Fuqua received a first and second award and Mrs. Meyer received two first and two second awards.

Following the meeting there was an exchange of bulbs and plants.

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Circle number three of the Sedalia Garden club met for a 1:00 o'clock dessert luncheon at the home of Mrs. A. H. Wilks, 116 East Broadway, with Mrs. Peter Hoffman and Mrs. C. R. Almquist as assisting hostesses.

Mrs. A. R. Scott, first vice-president presided over the business meeting.

Guests were Mrs. W. C. Housel and Mrs. M. J. Elsea.

Mrs. A. M. Hoffman introduced Mrs. Housel, the guest speaker, an authority on birds who spoke on the subject, "Whose Nest Is That." Mrs. Housel's talk was interesting and entertaining giving much information on the various kinds of birds and their habits. She illustrated her talk with colored slides of birds and their nests and was assisted by Pinkney Miller.

Awards on exhibits went to Mrs. G. W. Chambers, Mrs. S. E. Bushey, Miss Helen Bapple, Mrs. George Landis and Mrs. J. E. Merrick.

# Junior Garden Club to Have Flower Show

### On Mezzanine Floor Convention Hall Next Saturday

The mezzanine floor of the Convention Hall at Liberty Park will be given over to the exhibits of the Junior Garden Clubs at the Flower Show Saturday. Any child in Pettis county is invited to enter exhibits whether they are garden club members or not.

Exhibits must be brought to Convention Hall on Friday between the hours of 9:30 a. m. and 4:00 p. m.

The classes of exhibits are as follows: 1, House plants—begonias, African violets and geraniums; 2, house plant vines—sweet potatoes, ivy, philedrendon and wandering Jew; 3, poster showing flower arrangement; 4, scrapbooks — wild flowers, trees, insects; 5, dish gardens, Japanese, Mexican, Holland or western; 6, wood exhibit; 7, soil exhibit; 8, scrapbooks—pressed leaves, pressed flowers; 9, cigar box gardens; 10, sponge gardens; 10, sponge gardens; 11, bird houses and feeders; 12, corsages; 13, miniature bouquet; 14, garden flowers, 15, any table setting—picnic, childs birthday table, patriotic, breakfast or old fashioned.

**Mrs. Pringle In Charge**

Any information concerning the junior exhibits may be obtained by calling Mrs. A. L. Pringle, chairman, or any of her committee, Mrs. T. J. Hutchinson, Mrs. Clayton Mitchell, Mrs. Paul Berthouex, Mrs. A. A. Ferguson, Mrs. A. B. Wade, Mrs. John Griessen, Mrs. Melvin Carl, Mrs. L. J. May, Mrs. C. L. Carter, Mrs. R. C. Smallwood, Mrs. Arthur Klang and Mrs. C. E. Van Horn.

# *Red Cross Corner*

A Missouri State Disaster meeting was held at Jefferson City, Missouri, Wednesday, May 12th, with the following attending from Pettis county: Judge J. V. Kesterson, Fire Chief John Lueck, Mayor J. H. Bagby, Sheriff E. W. Goetz and Mrs. Eula R. Spencer, Executive Secretary Pettis County Chapter, American Red Cross. The purpose of this meeting was to discuss and explain the disaster plan, so each and every one would know their job, when disaster strikes, enabling the emergency to be met.

Michael Wolfel, First Aid Instructor, has successfully completed a Standard Class at Sacred Heart School. Certificates will be issued to twelve students.

Mrs. A. A Ferguson, Chairman Gray Lady service, reports the Gray Ladies assisted at Bothwell Hospital on Hospital Day, May 12.

# Nephew Was Fatally Burned

George C. Lierman, aged 32 years, of Lexington, Mo., nephew of Walter Lierman, 908 West Seventh street, Roy Lierman, 709 East Fifth street, and Mrs. Mayme Rider, 517 East Tenth street, died Friday morning of burns received the night before. Two other aunts are Mrs. H. J. Brummerhoff, of Kansas City and Mrs. Walter Ashford, of Lexington. It was reported they came from explosion of a kerosene stove in the home.

Mr. Lierman's passing was at the Independence sanitarium.

Lierman's 3-year-old stepson, Rene Charles Bartet, died in the fire, in which two other stepsons also suffered burns. They were Gary Bartet, 6, who was taken to the sanitarium, and Larry Bartet, 5, who was treated by a physician. Gary's condition, it was said at the hospital today, was dangerous but not critical.

Lierman's wife, Mrs. Georgia Lierman, suffered minor burns in carrying Larry and Garry from the home. A navy veteran, Lierman was employed on river work near Lexington. He leaves also a daughter, Catherine Lierman, 10, of Lexington, and a brother, Roy Lierman, Econdido, California. Funeral services for the father and stepson will be held at 2:00 o'clock Monday at the Tempel chapel, Lexington.

# Carriers And Auxiliary Meet

The local branch of the National Letter Carriers Association and its Auxiliary, met Wednesday evening at the Knights of Pythias Hall. The president, of the Letter Carriers Association James Hall, presided and the routine business was taken care of.

Bulletins from the National Headquarters were read and discussed. Mrs. Champ Richardson, president of the Auxiliary, presided at its meeting. Bulletins were read and discussed and further plans were made for attending the state convention in Hannibal. Plans were also made for some additional social service work to be done by the group.

At the conclusion of the business meeting, a social hour was enjoyed with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scott as host and hostess.

**Traffic Case**

Henry Lee Walker, charged with driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated, pleaded guilty in circuit court Saturday and was fined $75 and costs by Judge Dimmit Hoffman. He also surrendered his driver's license.

# Better Home Club Meeting

The Maplewood Better Homes club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. James Ellis, Sedalia, route 5, with Mrs. Mike Clifford assistant hostess.

A covered dish luncheon was served at the noon hour.

The meeting was opened by repeating the club collect in unison. Roll call was answered by telling "What rationing taught me."

Mrs. James Ellis gave a report on 4-H work. Mrs. Walter Banning read Miss Kelly's news letter. The demonstration of the month on "Three dish meals" was given by Mrs. Howard Turner and Mrs. Norman Arnold.

Guests for the day were Mrs. E. E. Cassick, Mrs. Ralph Frame, Mrs. Gay O'Daniels from Fort Riley, Kas., and Mrs. John Malloy. Nine children were present.

During the social hour a white elephant sale was held, with the proceeds going to the club's treasury. The sum of $32.75 was netted from the sale.

The June meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. John Sutherlin.

# Junior-Senior Prom-Dance At Smithton

The Smithton high school Junior-Senior banquet and prom was held on the evening of May 7. For the first time in history the banquet was served at the Smithton school house.

The theme was "Mexican Fiesta." The gym and room 8 were decorated with red, yellow, blue and green streamers. The streamers were put up in the form of a tent.

The banquet began at 6:45 in room 8. The menu was as follows:

Golden Cocktail
Gravy Spuds Chicken
Peas Carrots
Radishes Olives
Coffee Lemonade
Apple Pie, ala mode
Nuts Mints

**Entertainment**

During the meal they were entertained by the servers, Max Birdsong, June Curtis, Tiny Young, Mary Lou Colvin, Jess Martin, Lois Eichholz, Jack Hume and Della Fern Rinehart. The san La Cockracho and O Sole Mio. Also a song was sung by Marcelle Holman. All took part in group singing.

Among the guests were the school board members and their wives.

At 8:00 o'clock they adjourned to the auditorium, where all joined in a Grand March. Punch was served at intermission. Two numbers were sung by a group of Junior girls during this time. A saxaphone solo was played by Jack Hume.

# Harold Matby To Graduate

LEXINGTON, Mo., April 15—Cadet Harold Maltby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Maltby, Sedalia, is a candidate for graduation at Wentworth Military academy here this spring, according to Maj. Leon H. Ungles, dean. Harold is a member of this year's high school graduating class at Wentworth.



**Harold Maltby**

Wentworth's sixty-eighth graduation exercises will start with the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday, May 23. Subsequent activties include the annual public band concert by the Academy band, field day exercises, the awards convocation, the annual commencement ball, and the final battalion dress parade. This program will be climaxed by the graduation exercises on Thursday evening, May 27, and the final flag ceremony preceding dismissal of the cadet corps on the morning of Friday, May 28.

# Wolf Whistles Are ot to Be Used

"Wolf Whistles" or any other kind of whistle on automobiles are "out" as far as Sedalia is concerned. Numerous complaints by local residents of cars using those types of warning have been received by the police, and Saturday morning Chief of Police Edward Neighbors announced any motorist who insists on using them in Sedalia will be arrested and prosecuted.

"They not only create a nuisance but are a traffic hazard," Chief Neighbors said. "The use of the whistles go further than just traffic warnings, they are used to frighten pedestrians, which is very dangerous," he concluded.

There is a city ordinance in Sedalia prohibiting such horns.

**Teen-Age Board to Meet**

The Senior board of the Teen Age club will meet at the club rooms Monday night at 7:30 o'clock.

# *Sacred Heart High School Graduates*



Arthur David Anton



Edward Joseph Bahner



Robert Ignatius Barsch



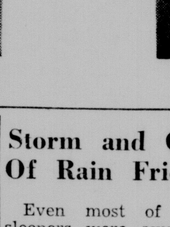
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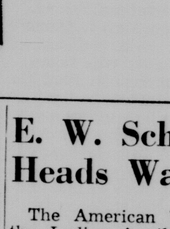
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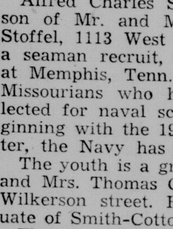
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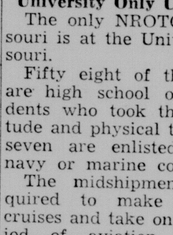
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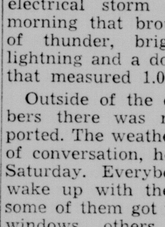
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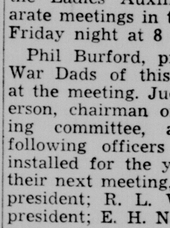
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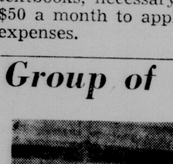
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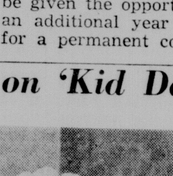
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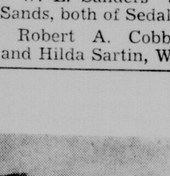
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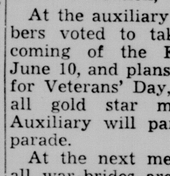
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Barbara Marie Meier



Joanie Reid



Anna Mae Stimpfels



James Edward Weinhalt



Philip White

# *Alfred Charles Stoffel, Jr., 18, Awarded Scholarship by Navy*

Alfred Charles Stoffel, Jr., 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Stoffel, 1113 West Second street, a seaman recruit, now stationed at Memphis, Tenn., is one of 51 Missourians who have been selected for naval scholarships beginning with the 1948 fall semester, the Navy has announced.

The youth is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Chapman, 1113 Wilkerson street. He is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school.

The selectees are eligible for four years of college work at any of the 52 colleges and universities in the country having a naval reserve officers training corps unit. During that period the government will provide tuition, fees, textbooks, necessary uniforms and $50 a month to apply on personal expenses.

**University Only Unit In State**

The only NROTC unit in Missouri is at the University of Missouri.

Fifty eight of the Missourians are high school or college students who took the navy's aptitude and physical tests. The other seven are enlisted men in the navy or marine corps.

The midshipmen will be required to make two summer cruises and take one summer period of aviation indoctrination. Upon graduation, they must accept commissions as ensigns in the navy or second lieutenants in the marine corps. After a period of active duty ranging from 15 months to two years they will be given the opportunity to serve an additional year and to apply for a permanent commission.

# *Group of Seniors on 'Kid Day'*



**The above is a picture of a group of Smith-Cotton High School seniors on "Kid Day". With the exception of the girl on the extreme left, Miss Donna Sexton, all are members of the H. D. club. They are, left to right from Miss Sexton: Allene Hall, Mary Jane Anderson, Norma Milburn, Beryl Evans, Ruth Ann Keuper, Betty Rice, Barbara Brimmer, and seated, Gayle Scruton. (Staff Photo)**

# *They Were 'Kids' For a Day*



**A group of senior boys and girls on Smith-Cotton high school "kid day." Left to right they are: Glenn McVey, Wm. White, Joe Van Horn, Jimmy Funkhouse, Frank Russell, Delta Mae Duncan, Bob Hall, Bob Hogan, Leroy Iuchs, Harold Yeager, Tommy Delph, Donald Blankenship, Harvey May, Dorothy Sheffield, Bobby Lacey. (Ralph Walker Photo)**

# Storm and Over Inch Of Rain Friday Night

Even most of the soundest sleepers were awakened by the electrical storm early Saturday morning that brought loud claps of thunder, bright streaks of lightning and a downpour of rain that measured 1.05 inch.

Outside of the disturbed slumbers there was no damage reported. The weather was the topic of conversation, however, all day Saturday. Everybody seemed to wake up with the raging storm, some of them got up to put down windows, others stayed awake frightened at the wind and lightning and others just turned over and went back to sleep.

**Marriage Licenes Issued**

W. L. Sanders and Margaret Sands, both of Sedalia.

Robert A. Cobb, Bentonville, and Hilda Sartin, Warsaw.

# E. W. Schultz Heads War Dads

The American War Dads and the Ladies Auxiliary held separate meetings in the K of P hall, Friday night at 8 o'clock.

Phil Burford, president of the War Dads of this city, presided at the meeting. Judge J. V. Kesterson, chairman of the nominating committee, announced the following officers elected to be installed for the year 1948-49, at their next meeting. E. W. Schultz, president; R. L. Weinrich, vice-president; E. H. Neiberger, treasurer.

Mrs. E. H. Neiberger, president of the Ladies Auxiliary, presided, and elected one delegate, Mrs. Mattie Bennett, and an alternate, Mrs. Laura Ellis to attend the state convention, June 19.

At the auxiliary meeting, members voted to take part in the coming of the Freedom Train, June 10, and plans were discussed for Veterans' Day, June 9, where all gold star mothers of the Auxiliary will participate in the parade.

At the next meeting, June 11, all war-brides are invited to attend the Ladies Auxiliary at 8 o'clock at the K of P hall.

# Striped College 4-H Club Meeting

The Striped College 4-H club clothing III and IV girls met at the school for the first time on May 13 at 2:00 o'clock.

The following members were present: Lillian and Ida Mae Bahner, Betty and Barbara Leiter, Mina Kroger, Katherine Baldwin, Rosella Hunter and Charlene Eye, with Mrs. Ellis Garret as project leader.

Officers for the Clothing III and IV girls are Mina Kroger, president; Katherine Baldwin, secretary, and Lillian Bahner, reporter.

The meeting was spent by cutting out slips and dresses. The next meeting will be held at the school May 27 at 2:00 o'clock.

*Looking Backward*

# • Forty Years Ago

The Old Settlers association of Pettis county have announced their annual barbecue for Liberty park on August 29. The "Kentuckians" will be invited to participate.

Ernest D. Martin, of Marshall, a candidate for the Democratic nomination for state senator, was in the city over the week end in the interest of his political aspirations.

The annual memorial ceremonies of George R. Smith post No. 53, G. A. R., will be held on Saturday, May 30, with the Rev. James Parsons, pastor of the First Congregational church, to give the address.

J. B. Brown, superintendent here for the Prudential Life Insurance company, has returned from Newark, N. J., having been there attending a meeting of representatives of that company.

**Attended Graduation**

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McNeal, 1020 East Broadway, went to Warsaw Friday night to attend the graduation of their niece, Virginia Lee Potter, daughter of Mrs. Sarah Potter. They were accompanied by their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McNeal, 1202 East Eleventh street and Mrs. F. A. Clark, 923 East Broadway.

The commencement address was delivered by Dr. Forrest C. Allen of Kansas.

*Missouri Pacific*

# Shop Notes

W. I. Smith, wheel and box foreman, last week entered a hospital in Kansas City for medical treatment. He has been off duty the past three weeks on account of sickness.

W. C. Eads, machinist, has resumed his duties after a month's vacation.

Geo. Lindsey, boilermaker apprentice, last week entered the company hospital in St. Louis for medical treatment.

C. D. McMurren, machinist, was a business visitor in Kansas City last week.

Fred Welling, machinist, is spending the day visiting with Mrs. Welling, who is a patient in a hospital in Carrolton, Mo.

W. E. Smith, blacksmith apprentice, has been off duty the past three weeks on account of sickness.

R. J. Fender and W. J. Donath, machinists, were business visitors in St. Louis last week.

C. W. Thomas, machinist helper, who on April 4th underwent an appendicitis operation at Bothwell hospital, is considerably improved and is exected to return to work this week.

Missouri Pacific locomotives 22, 1235 and 1703 were released for service last week after undergoing a general overhauling at the local shops.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bodine have been in Larned, Kas., where they were called May 7th on account of the serious illness of Mr. Bodine's mother, and whose death occurred May 12th. Mr. Bodine is general boiler foreman at the local shops.

John Taylor, axle turner, and son Jimmy, blacksmith, and daughters, Helen and Mary, were in St. Louis Saturday visiting with their wife and mother, who is a patient in the company hospital.

O. H. Clark, superintendent car department for the Missouri Pacific, and H. J. Marsh, assistant superintendent car department, were in Sedalia last Thursday on business.

# Negro Youth Council Met Thursday

Sedalia's Negro Youth Council met Thursday night in the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. Y. Jackson, pastor and wife of Burns chapel Free Will Baptist church with their nephew, William Jackson as host.

Fifteen members were present. The meeting was opened by the Councils' entertainment committee chairman, Miss Particia Winston with Marcella Williams at the piano. Prayer was led by Miss Nola Shockley.

The business was stated by the advisor, Miss Edmondson, who made suggestions to the group for the next three months activities. Committee heads and co-workers are to make plans for the next few months.

The colors chosen by the Council for wearing, or decorating are national blue and old rose. Their motto is "Seek Ye First Thought." The Councils' Spiritual is. "He know how much you can bear." The Council song "Object" is to the tune of "Now is the Hour." The Council's poem, "The Heart of Man" by an unknown writer. Reminder "If" for a boy and a girl.

Remarks of commendation to the advisor and Council were given by Rev. Jackson who emphasized the necessity of their interest and cooperation to the organization. The Council was dismissed by closing prayer in unison, led by Calvin Cooper.

Refreshments were served by the host, William Jackson and his aunt. The next meeting will be Thursday in the home of Mrs. Goldie Cooper with her son, Calvin Cooper, as host.

Miss Anna Hale of Union Hill, Mo., was a guest.

# Discuss Clothes And Accessories

The County Line Homemakers Club met at the club house May 6, for an all day meeting.

The subject: "Remodeling and Accessories" was given by Mrs. Glen Nelosn. The roll call for the meeting was "My favorite dress and why I like it."

Hostesses were Mrs. Jessie Wear and Mrs. Glen Nelson and were assisted by Mrs. Ernest Schupp and Mrs. Lewis Zumsteg. There were nine members, four children and one visitor, Miss Elaine Dornes.

Costliest operation of the U. S. Navy in World War II was Okinawa, where 35 vessels were sunk, and 49 others seriously damaged.



Pfc. Harvey LaPlant, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. LaPlant, 1206 East Broadway, is home on a 7-day delay enroute to Seattle, Wash., from Fort Dix, New Jersey.

# Young Folks Get Together After 10 Years

### Planned Reunion Ten Years Ago When In High School

Ten years ago, on May 15, 1938, a group of high school boys and girls, who formed a little crowd of their own, were guests at the home of Miss Arline Downs, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Downs, 716 West Seventh street. Miss Downs is now Mrs. R. W. Latham, of Mission, Kas.

"I wonder where we will all be ten years from tonight?" some one asked.

"Let's try to get together" suggested another, and that is what a majority of the crowd did do Saturday, just ten years to the day.

In the afternoon they were guests of Mrs. R. G. O'Maley, of Kansas City, the former Miss Genevieve Stanley, at the home of her mother, Mrs. George H. Trader and Mr. Trader, Meadowood Farm. Mrs. O'Maley invited the mothers t bring their children and their mothers, grandmothers of the children. The hours were from 3:00 to 5:00 o'clock.

From 7:00 until 9:00 o'clock the crowd was entertained by E. G. McGrath at a cocktail party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McGrath, 700 West Fifth street.

From the McGrath home they went to the Old Missouri Homestead, the married ones bringing husbands or wives. Reminiscing of events of the past ten years was the order of the day.

The group included Harriet Courtney, now Mrs. Dana Crosby, of St. Louis; Genevieve Stanley, now Mrs. R. G. O'Maley of Kansas City who now has two children, Garth and Pitkin; Ruth Franklin, now Mrs. John Vandekamp, of Sedalia, who has one son, Johnny; Miss Mary Lu Reid, of St. Louis; Miss Barbara Beckemeyer, of St. Louis; Arline Downs, now Mrs. Ray W. Latham, of Mission, Kas., who has two children, Jimmie and Janice Rae; Jack McCullough, of Culver, Ind., who is married and has one son, Patrick; Edward Hurley, Springfield; Howard Durham, Sedalia, who is married and has one son, John Francis; Jack Shoemaker, Sedalia, who is married; E. G. McGrath, St. Louis; Dr. Marvin Crutcher, Sedalia, who is married and has two children, Jerry and Diane, Geraldine (Gerry) Wilson, now Mrs. Floyd L. Lively, who has two children, Dennis and Phillis.

Others who attended the party ten years ago but who were unable to be here Saturday were: Barbara Botz, now Mrs. Peter English, of Shreveport, La.; Jack Van Dyne, who is married and lives in San Franfisca Calif., Bill Harned of St. Louis and John Balaschke, of Oklahoma City.

# Reorganizing Boy Scouts

A new Boy Scout organization for Sedalia is being perfected, and by the end of the week organization of troops will be well under way, it is hoped by those who have been working on the proposition. Reorganization of the Boy Scout organization is the first step which Sedalia must take before returning to the Lake of the Ozark Council.

Members of the old organization and officials have met, and a nominating committee appointed. This committee is to make a report on Monday, at which time an election of officers will be held and announced. Immediately upon the election of officers, a meeting of sponsoring organizations will be called, after which troop organizations will be started.

For nearly two years there has been no Boy Scouting in Sedalia, but it is anticipated that before many weeks it will be better and bigger than in the history of Scouting.

# Plans Framing Colorful Moth

Evidently this is a peak season for moths, based on the assumption that a number of people have brought their specimens to this paper to show reporters, who then mention the arrival of a hatched moth or butterfly.

Friday evening, C. C. Weathers, 1318 South Harrison avenue carried gently to this paper, a beautiful black, spotted with red, moth, with horns of feathers perching out from the head.

He stated that he found the cocoon two weeks ago, and brought it into his home, where it hatched Friday.

Asked by a reporter what he planned to do with it, he declared, "I have an old picture frame, so I thought I would frame it."

# Busy Stitchers Club Meeting

The Busy Stitchers met at the home of Mrs. Curtis Lopp Thursday. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. C. Lopp, due to the absence of the president, Mrs. H. F. Baugh.

Roll call was answered by telling their most embarrassing moment. At noon a covered dish luncheon was served, to which all contributed. The afternoon was spent in working. Later games were led by Helen Anderson, an award going to Mrs. Lopp. There were five members and six visitors present. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Leslie Dehaven. Visitors were Mrs. John Schanuep, B. Berryman of Marshall, Mrs. C. D. Osborne of Sedalia, Miss Dorothy Dehaven Miss Dorothy Molder of Smithton and Mr. Lopp.

*Community News From*

## *Pilot Grove*

(MRS. E. M. McCREERY)

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Nelson visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Charles Nelson of Granite City, Ill., from Friday until Monday.

Miss Mildred Simmons of Pleasant Green and Wesley Wilson were married in Boonville Tuesday morning. Only a few lose relatives were present. They gave a wedding dance for their friends Tuesday evening at Gilbert's station on Highway 40.

Mrs. Forest Judy of Kansas City was a guest over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Judy and attended the double wedding of the Alley sisters at Peninsula church Saturday afternoon.

Miss Rossela Kreisal and sister, Mrs. Marvin Mayo, spent Tuesday afternoon at Cole Camp with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kriesel. Miss Gladys Kriesel their sister, accompanied them home after a ten day visit here with her sisters. The girls helped their father celebrate his birthday, which was Tuesday.

Banns were published Sunday at St. Joseph Catholic church of the marriage of Miss Mary Margaret Muessing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Muessing and Joseph Jaeger of Kansas City. The wedding will be at St. Joseph's church on Saturday, May 29th at 9 o'clock in the morning.

Mrs. Mary Dick has moved to Pilot Grove to make her home.

Mrs. Forest Everett returned to her home in Kansas City Thursday after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Davis.

Banns have been published of the marriage of Miss Loretta Shay, daughter of Mrs. Mary Shay to Stanley Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J .Perry of Boonville. The publication was made at St. Joseph church where the wedding will be on May 24th at 8:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Esser and children have returned to their home in Detroit, Mich., after a several weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Esser and son, Ralph.

Charley Stocklein of Kansas City spent the week-end with his father, Frank Stocklein and sister, Bernadine and brothers, Ray and Roy, of the home.

Miss Mary Katherine Ries of Sedalia, and Clarence Ries, a student at Missouri U. at Columbia, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ries.

Mrs. Alice Braunum has returned home after spending the winter in Kansas City. She is employed at the Wolfe and Yeager shoe factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Hurt of Pleasant Green was a recent visitor in Pilot Grove. They spent Mother's Day with Mr. Hurt's mother, Mrs. Boone Hurt.

Mrs. Harry J. Schlotzhauer and daughter, Mary Lee, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Raines near Nelson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Twenter are the parents of a daughter born at St. Joseph hospital in Boonville.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Meriwether and children of Columbia, were week-end guests of her mother, Mrs. John Ihhele. Other guests of her mother were three other daughters, Mrs. John Stewart, Mr. Stewart and children, of Brunswick and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Twenter, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Twenand family.

Joel Hurt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hurt returned home Saturday from Kansas City where he had been a patient at a hospital there for a week for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stocklein had as guests Sunday, Miss Jean Stone of Clifton City, Charley Ploger of Boonville, Mrs. Henry Wessing and son, Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Teuter and children, Mr.and Mrs. Cyril Wessing and sons and the Rev. Leo Gales and his mother, Mrs. Margaret Gales of Clear Creek and Joe Stocklein and daughter, Miss Leona, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Renter and children, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hoff, Mr. and Mrs. B. J .Wessing and children and Misses Agnes and Lucille Kempf.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baumgarten of Kansas City were guests recently of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Nelson.

Miss Margaret Vineyard of Boonville, was a guest Thursday of Miss Lida Harris and attended commencement exercises of the Pilot Grove school.

Fred Harris is in Minona, Minn., this week on business.

## Cash Award to J. V. Moore Made

J. V. Moore, who was born at Sedalia and lived here for many years with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Moore, now of Warrensburg, Missouri, has been granted a cash award by Trans World Airline for a money-saving suggestion submitted to the airline's Suggestion Plan department.

Mr. Moore works in the fabric and upholstery department of TWA's huge overhaul base at Fairfax Airport in Kansas City, Kansas.

He received an award of $10 for suggesting standardization of arm rests on Constellation plane chairs, resulting in a saving to the company in number of items stocked. Suggestion plan awards of $7.50 to $1,000 are made on a basic of their value to TWA as determined by a suggestion committee. All of TWA's more than 13,000 employees are eligible to participate.

## OBITUARIES

**Eugene J. Hansman**

Eugene J. Hansman, a former Sedalian, more recently of St. Louis where the family resided at 5911 Heege, died in that city Wednesday according to word received by Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Spencer of the Terry apartments, after a long illness.

Mr. Hansman, when in Sedalia, was employed as a draftsman at the Missouri Pacific shops. He was active in the National Guard unit here and was a Past Exalted Ruler of the Sedalia Lodge of Elks.

Surviving are his wife and one daughter Dorothy.

Funeral services will be held in St. Louis Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Spencer will attend.

**Ran Grant**

Charles E. Connelly, of 215 West Seventh street received word Thursday morning, that his cousin, Ran Grant, 81 years old, died May 11 in Portland, Ore.

Mr. Grant was at one time a ticket agent at the Missouri Pacific Station in Sedalia. He also traveled for the Beiler Grocery Co.

**Funeral of George F. Schneck**

Funeral services for George F. Schneck, who died Tuesday morning at the Bothwell hospital, were held Thursday afternoon.

A short service was held at the Ewing funeral home at 12:30 o'clock.

Funeral services were held at the St. Paul's Evangelical church near Pilot Grove at 2 o'clock.

The Rev. William C. Bessmer, pastor of the Immanuel Evangelical church, officiated.

Friends and neighbors of the Pilot Grove community served as pallbearers.

Interment was in the Schneck family in the Clear Creek cemetery near Pilot Grove.

## Blames Troubles On Indecision

JEFFERSON CITY, May 20—(AP)—A special Senate committee today blamed indecision for Missouri's training school troubles.

The committee studied problems of the boys' school at Boonville, the girls' school at Chillicothe and the Negro girls' school at Tipton. In its final report the committe concluded indecision by the people, by government officials and the staffs were to blame.

The state has "not yet come to a final judgment on whether rehabilitation or punishment should predominate in our treatment of juvenile delinquents," the report said.

It recommended a fixed policy be determined and followed closely so the schools "can be made what they should be, having for their primary function the rehabilitation of those children who most need our help."

The committee heard 34 witnesses during February and March in a series of hearings, including seven inmates of the Boonville school. The final report, however, did not review or summarize the testimony and drew no specific conclusions from it.

Senator Robert H. Lineman (R) of St. Charles, chairman, said all committee members approved the report.

It made only indirect references to the turmoil which followed Gov. Phil M. Donnelly's action in firing the old state training school board and putting the state highway patrol in charge at Boonville.

"That's all over now," Linneman explained "We didn't see any point in going into it again."

Both houses of the legislature held skeleton sessions today. Adjourning until Dec. 1 when the 1947-48 session will end for good. No business was transacted.

## Apprehensive of Raid; Resigns

HENRYETTA, Okla., May 20—(AP)—It's bad enough when contraband liquor is brought through this city, but when the boottleggers threaten to raid the police station to seize 91 cases of whiskey, that's going too far for Night Police Chief Jess McDonald.

McDonald resigned last night.

Today he went to court and told Superior Court Judge J. E. Pitchford he was afraid the station would be raided.

He told the court he had received "numerous threats from numerous sources from here and Muskogee that bootleggers were contemplating raiding headquarters and carrying off the loot."

The whiskey was picked up in this legally dry state as it was being transported through Henryetta to Oklahoma City.

The judge ordered the liquor transported to the sheriff's vault at the county seat at Okmulgee. This should foil the would-be raiders, the judge thought.

## Shark Contains Part Of a Man's Body

HONG KONG, May 20—(AP)—Fishermen said today they caught a giant 450 pound shark containing the remnants of a man's body off Cape De Guilar.

The only identifying article appeared to be a piece of a U. S. army jungle green trousers—worn by countless natives in this part of the world since war's end.


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## REA Approves $835,000 for Pettis, Saline

### Fund Makes Possible 295 More Miles Of Electric Lines

The Rural Electric Cooperative, headquarters in Sedalia, today received a telegram from the Rural Electric Administration, Washington, D. C. announcing approval of $835,000 for system improvements to complete the previously approved construction and to build 295 more miles of lines in Pettis and Saline counties. Of that number 222 miles will be in Pettis county, according to Leland M. Lavelle, manager of the Sedalia organization, who received the message.

The new lines will serve approximately 740 farms, which will be serviced, in addition to the 2,012 farms in Pettis, Benton and Saline, now having electricity through this cooperative.

There are now about 224 miles of lines in Benton county.

Work will begin as quickly as materials are available, Lavelle said.

## Neff Murder Trial Near End

WELLINGTON, Kas., May 20—(AP)—With his own statement admitting responsibility for both deaths in the record, there were indications that the state was near the end of its case against George Neff today.

Neff's statement, signed at nearby Wichita, Kas., Jan. 10, was admitted as prosecution evidence by District Judge Wendell Ready over strong protest by Harold Goodwin, co-counsel for the defense.

At overnight recess, a court official said County Attorney Robert Cobean had indicated he expected to finish state testimony against Neff "sometime Friday."

The trial began May 7. Defense attorneys have said nothing of how long their side will take.

Cobean this afternoon read the 14-page Neff statement to the jury of 12 men, detailing questions by Bert Church, special prosecutor, and answers by the 46-year-old Perth, Kas., farmer.

Cobean's 50-minute recital outlined the story the state contends is basically correct—but which Neff himself has repuidated.

And Church countered defense attacks on the statement's accuracy with the argument that "no confession is 100 per cent true."

## Escapee From Folsom Caught

JOPLIN, Mo., May 20—(AP)—Edison Russell Womack, 33 who escaped from Folsom state prison in California March 13 where he was serving a life term for robbery, was captured here early Wednesday by Joplin police.

Yesterday, before his identity became known, Womack, and his woman companion, Nell C. Butzner of Brooklyn, N. Y., had been arraigned on a charge of interstate transportation of a stolen motor car. In addition, Womack also was charged with the interstate transport of two loaded pistols.

Walter Flenner, acting assistant plice chief, said Womack admitted he stole the car April 26 in Baltimore, Md. Womack and the Butzner woman were released to federal authorities.

Womack told police he placed a dummy in his bed at Folsom and went over the wall, later swimming a river that encircles the prison.

## Harold Bernard Has Exhibit at Art School

Harold Bernard, son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Bernard, of 405 West Fourth street, this city, taking a special course at the California School of Fine Arts at San Francisco, received meritorious recognition on the display of a painting and a sculpture production there.

This was at an art exhibit and reception held at the school held on May 16 and his parents, who were in San Francisco at the time, viewed the exhibits.

A brother of Harold Bernard, Stephen, and Mrs. Harold Bernard are in charge of the cafeteria at the art school.

The young art student in furtherance of his work will now take up cartooning and commercial artist work.

## Stanolind to Have Part in 984 Wells

TULSA, Okla., May 20—(AP)—Stanolind Oil and Gas Co. announced today that during the current year it will participate in the drilling of 948 wells, about 100 of them "wildcats," or wells away from proven production.

The total cost, the announcement said, would be about $69,000,000 (M), approximately $18,000,000 above drilling costs for 844 wells in 1947.

The average cost per well, the company said, is expected to be $72,600 compared with last year's $60,000.

## Youth Runs Away With Grandmother's Savings

CLEVELAND, May 20—(AP)—Lakewood police were informed today by a worried mother that her 12-year-old son had run away from home with $6,000. Possibly three other boys are with his, police said.

Mrs. Laverne Beyer of Lakewood said her son, Kenneth, disappeared with the money—his grandmother's life savings—late yesterday, Lt. Robert Corbin reported.

She could offer no reason for his behavior, Corbin said, since there had "been no trouble at home."

## Guardsmen on Duty After Picket Killed

### Murder Charge Against Non-Striking Packing Co. Employe

WATERLOO, Ia., May 20—(AP)—Nearly a thousand National Guardsmen were maintaining order in this northeastern Iowa city of 52,000 today after violence broke out last night when a CIO Packinghouse Union picket was shot to death.

County Attorney Blair Wood said he had filed a charge of murder against a non-striking employe of the Cuth Packing Co., where the shooting occurred.

The defendant is 55-year-old Fred Lee Roberts, a non-union night cleanup man at the plant who claimed he sought to shoot into the ground when pickets stormed his car.

MASON CITY, Ia., May 20—(AP)—A prominent CIO Packinghouse Union member who is on strike here has taken up duties in Waterloo as First Sergeant of a National Guard company sent there to help maintain order following a strike riot.

He is Ed Newman, 39-year-old former president of the Mason City CIO-UPWA local.

Newman, with numerous fellow strikers at the Decker packing plant here, was appealed to the Iowa supreme court from a $100 contempt fine assessed against him in connection with meat strike disturbances here.

As he left with Company H for Waterloo, Newman said:

"I guess I'll have to go. I'm the only first sergeant in the whole bunch."

**Shocked Over Affair**

While CIO-UPWA officials called on their 4,500 striking members to "mourn the death of William J. "Chuck" Farrell and the wounding of Margaret Draheim," Rath officials expressed "genuine shock and deep regret" over the whole incident.

A. D. Donnell, spokesman for the Rath Company, challenged union contentions that a supplementary court order the firm obtained yesterday afternoon led to the shooting and subsequent disorders.

"The company got the order to protect its workers and to prevent violence," Donnell asserted.

The order forbade union use of loudspeakers and prohibited strikers from coming closer than 500 feet of the plant entrance except for five pickets at each gate.

**Union Lost Control**

Union spokesmen contended they "lost control of our people" when the order was served directing them to dismantle their amplifiers.

Gov. Robert D. Blue, who called out the guard at the request of local authorities, today ordered the Four State Monopoly liquor stores in this county to "remain closed indefinitely."

All beer taverns in Waterloo were closed by agreement of operators.

## Terms School System 'Disgrace'

PHILADELPHIA, May 20—(AP)—President Truman today termed the financial plight of the country's public school system "a disgrace."

Speaking before 1,300 students of the Girard college the President deplored the fact that "the richest country in the world" lacks public educational facilities to meet its needs and "underpaid teachers" to instruct its youngsters.

The President paid tribute to Stephen Girard, whose will provided for this college for poor, fatherless boys and told the students that they were "exceedingly lucky" to be able to attend a school providing such facilities.

"You have an advantage over students of many other schools," the President went on.

He said many of the nation's public schools are so crowded that the teachers do not even know the names of all their pupils.

"The financial situation of our public school system is a disgrace for the richest country in the world," he said. He spoke in the college chapel.

## One Killed, Three Injured

KEYBURN, Okla., May 20—(AP)—Walter Enoch, 60, assistant postmaster at Orange, Calif., was killed and three other persons were injured in an automobile accident on U. S. Highway 66 near here today, the Highway Patrol reported.

Enoch's wife, Ida, 56, and Mrs. Mabel Kelly, 59, St. Louis, Mo., were hospitalized at Tulsa.

Mrs. Kelly's granddaughter, Barbara Esterby, 16, also of St. Louis, suffered minor head injuries.

Tulsa hospital attendants said Mrs. Enoch suffered a fractured hip and Mrs. Kelly a fractured leg.

Miss Esterby told Highway Patrol Trooper R. D. Blanton she and the other injured were in a car driven by Enoch. It overturned several times, she said, when Enoch lost control after running off the highway to avoid collision with an on-coming automobile.

**Mother Of Publisher Dies**

CAMERON, Mo., May 20—(AP)—Mrs. Agns Sawyer, 80, mother of Mrs. Tom Klepper, co-publisher of the Cameron Progress, died today.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at Lathrop, Mo.

## Regret Royal Activities In Paris on the Sabbath

By Dewitt Mackenzie
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

From the sturdy land of highlands and purple heather, where folk r-r-roll their R's and r-r-remember the Sabbath, comes the word that the Scottish Association of the Lord's Day Observance Society has sent Prime Minister Attlee a telegram recording in part:

"We feel constrained to express our profound regret that the itinerary arranged for their royal highnesses, Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh (Prince Philip), while on their official visit to Paris, included attendance at racing, theatre and night club dancing during the Lord's day."

Too strong mustard? Well, whether we agree with this rebuke, or feel that it's a wee bit austere, there are many people who will find it encouraging to encounter such a staunch stand for religion. Especially in the face of the world wide Communist drive to deprive humanity of a God.

**Have Mighty Influence**

Of course, probably nobody claims that the charming lady, who one day likely will be queen, and her husband committed any terrible sin by their activities on Sunday. However, members of the royal family do have a mighty influence on the habits of the rank and file, and must expect criticism at times. For royalty is not immune from the afflictions of ordinary man, as witness that Princess Margaret Rose, sister of their heiress presumptive to the throne, is suffering with measles.

The Scots as a whole are intensely religious, as I have observed during many visits to the land of my paternal ancestors. The Sabbath is a day for worship and contemplation. Scots who believe in the old time religion have no place for sports or recreation on Sunday. Why, the average Scot won't indulge in golf on Sunday, though he loves the game so much that he uses a golf club for a cane so that he always will be ready for play. Many even frown on whistling as too frivolous.

**No Fishing on Sunday**

I used to fish for trout in Scotlan dand one of the first rules I ran up against was that there was no fishing on the Sabbath. I recall one Cambridge student who sneaked out on a Sunday and did a bit of fishing. He was ostracized by all the guides at his headquarters until he finally begged forgiveness and promised never to do it again.

But that religious austerity is not confined to Scotland. You find the same things in parts of England. Down in the picturesque old fishing village of St. Ives, on the southwest coast, the fisher folk take their religion so seriously that they won't even permit visitors to break the Sabbath. For example I have known the fishermen to stop a woman from knitting on the rocks by the sea and a man artist who was painting beside the water was thrown into it.

**Plenty of Religion**

Still, we don't have to go so far afield as the British Isles to find religious zeal. There's plenty of it right here in the United States — throughout most of the world, for that matter. Even those who aren't intensely religious believe in the Supreme Being and the hereafter.

As a matter of fact the Communist effort to kill religion, as the "dope of the masses," undoubtedly has reacted against the Reds. Religious folk have been stimulated to battle for their beliefs. Possibly this has had something to do with the exceptionally strong move of the Scottish Association regarding the activities of Elizabeth and Philip in Paris on the Sabbath.

**Senator O'Daniel Not Seek Re-Election**

FORT WORTH, Tex., May 20—(AP)—U. S. Senator W. Lee O'Daniel announced tonight that he would not seek re-election this year.

O'Daniel, former flour salesman who campaigned for the governorship and later in the senatorial race with a hillbilly band, made the announcement in a prepared radio speech.

The junior senator from Texas also said he would not endorse any of those seeking his post.

## 22 Missouri Women to Be Honored

### Selected for Their Achievement in Field of Activity

ST. LOUIS, May 20—(AP)—Twenty-two Missouri women will be honored as Missouri women of achievement next Thursday at a banquet sponsored by the Group Action Council of St. Louis.

The list, announced yesterday, included such national figures as dress manufacturer Mrs. James A. Reed of Kansas City, operatic singer Gladys Swarthout, radio commentator Mary Margaret McBride and movie star Ginger Rogers.

The selections were made by a council committee from 300 names submitted by women's organizations, colleges and chambers of commerce in the state.

The list and classifications under which the women were chosen:

Fine Arts — Mrs. Ivie A. MacCarthy, Kirksville; Mrs. Wilma Eubank Pulliam, Hannibal.

Civic Affairs — Mrs. David S. Long, Harrisonville; Mrs. Nan Gardner Weber, Farmington; Mrs. Clarice Andrews, Fredericktown.

Education—Miss Thelma Mills, Columbia; Miss Marie Busch, Jefferson City; Miss Kathryn Mier, Jefferson City; Miss Wilma Haynes, Columbia.

Industry — Mrs. Reed of Kansas City.

**International Affairs**

International Affairs — Dr. Anna Lou Blair, Springfield, now at Santiago University, Santiago, Chile.

Literature — Miss Ada Claire Darby, St. Joseph.

Public Affairs — Miss Anne Sarachon Hooley, Kansas City.

Law — Mrs. Gladys Berger Stewart, Springfield.

Music — Miss Swarthout, born at Deepwater.

Public Health — Miss Sallie Bryant, St. Joseph.

Public Welfare — Mrs. Walter McNab Miller, Columbia.

Radio — Miss McBride, born on a Missouri farm.

Theater — Ginger Rogers, born Virginia Katherine McMath, Independence.

Journalism — Mrs. Charles C. Schuttler, Farmington; Mrs. Esther Downs Bishop, Jefferson City; Mrs. Catherine Dines, now of Denver, Colo.

**Transient Takes Snooze In Bank Basement**

ST. LOUIS, May 20—(AP)—Roy Melvin Taylor, who describes himself as a transient, pulled aside a canvas on a construction project, crawled inside and went to sleep.

This morning he was rudely awakened by eight policemen and a private watchman, and found that he had been snoozing in the basement of the Industrial Bank of St. Louis.

He was released when officials of the bank declined to prosecute.

**NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF LONGWOOD SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICT NO. 14**

Now on this 27th day of April, 1948, comes Clark Hieronymus, et al, and file herein their petition asking for an order of this Court dissolving Longwood Special Road District No. 14 of Pettis County, Missouri, and the Court having seen and examined said petition, and having seen, heard and duly considered the evidence adduced in support thereof, finds that said petition is signed by the owners of a majority of acres of land within said road district, and said petition sets forth the name of the district, the number of acres owned by each signer of such petition, and the whole number of acres in said district.

It is, therefore ordered by the Court that the Clerk of this Court be and he is hereby ordered and directed to cause to be published in the Sedalia Democrat and Capital, newspapers in said County and for four weeks successively prior to Monday, May 24, 1948, notice that said petition will be taken up for final action thereon by this Court at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said date; and this cause is continued until May 24, 1948.

J. H. GREEN,
Clerk of Pettis County Court.
4-30, 5-7, 5-14, 5-21

## *Bolster Against Certain Communistic Intents*

By J. M. Roberts, Jr.
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

Four events which have occurred in the United States this week are a far better indication of the state of the world than all of the pass that Washington and Moscow have been exchanging.

The House of Representatives decided by a vote of 319 to 58 that the international Communist movement is conspiring to set up a totalitarian dictatorship in this country through organizations it controls from abroad. That means control from Russia.

The Senate foreign relations committe decided unanimously that contrary to a century and a half of tradition, the United States could join European or other regional defense alliances to bolster the worldwide line of defense against Communist imperialism.

The government let it become known that it was trying to find the means of meeting requests for arms from Norway and Denmark who, under constant bombardment by the Moscow propagandists, have decided that they must put some muscle behind their traditional neutrality.

**"Not Agree To Disagree"**

The Russians at Lake Success, after two years of blocking the desire of all other nations for a workable plan of international atomic control, would not even agree to disagree. They voted against the decision of all the others to suspend negotiations as fruitless until there is a change in the whole world political picture.

This latter event, in particular, represents international resignation to the armaments race which has been under way ever since the war and which reaches a new and higher tempo every day.

While the nations need desperately to rehabilitate economies which had not recovered from the depression when they were struck by the greatest war in history, they are forced to pour their resources down the rathole of military preparedness.

To conduct a war for human rights, people feel called upon to subject themselves to laws which in themselves came dangerously close to abridgement of those rights.

Peacetime military preparedness represents a waste that is only exceeded in totality by actual war. Yet failure to provide it leads just as surely to a super-Munich as French and British unpreparedness led to the war of 1939.

Heads or tails, if the Bolshevik propagandists can frighten the world into enough of such waste they win just as surely as though they won a war. As long as they can pose the threat of war they can keep the western world on this road to economic destruction, which is the primary Communist aim. Only when the Kremlin can see that western unity and preparedness has made war suicidal will it be possible to level off this drain on living standards.

And yet it is all so simple. As Ernest Bevin says of the Greek civil war:

"One lift of a finger from a place you know would stop it tonight."

**No. 9766**
**Executrix's Notice**

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Cora A. Thomas, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 16th day of April, 1948, by the probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executrix within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 16th day of April, 1948.

CORA ALBERTA THOMAS,
Executrix.

Attested by me this 16th day of April, 1948.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
4-30, 5-7, 5-14, 5-21

**No. 9778**
**Administrator's Notice**

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of G. W. Wear, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 16th day of April 1948, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 16th day of April 1948.

W. E. WEAR,
Administrator.

Attested by me this 16th day of April, 1948.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
4-30, 5-7, 5-14, 5-21

**No. 9781**
**Administrator's Notice**

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the estate of Sadie Stanton Hubbard, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 23rd day of April 1948, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exbihit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 23rd day of April, 1948.

ALBERT HUBBARD,
Administrator.

Attested by me this 23rd day of April, 1948.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
4-30, 5-7, 5-14, 5-21

**No. 9785**
**Executor's Notice**

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Mary Russell Abell, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of May, 1948, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 7th day of May, 1948.

JOHN T. MARTIN,
Executor.

Attested by me this 7th day of May, 1948.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
5-14, 5-21, 5-28, 6-4

**IN THE PROBATE COURT**

STATE OF MISSOURI)
(SS.
COUNTY OF PETTIS )

Be it remembered, that on Tuesday, May 18th, 1948, the same being the seventh day of the regular May Term, 1948 of said Court, the following among other proceedings was had before said Court and entered of record, to-wit:

**Order of Publication**
Number 9702

In the matter of the Estate of Claude Hope, Deceased.
Samuel L. Highleyman, Administrator.

Samuel L. Highleyman, Administrator of the estate of Claude Hope, Deceased, presents to the Court his petition, praying for an order for the sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot Number Nine (9) in Block Number seven (7) of Ritchey's Second Addition to the City of Sedalia, in Pettis County, Missouri,

as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate, and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, list, and inventories required by law in such case.

On examination whereof, it is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that application as aforesaid has been made, and that unless the contrary be shown on or before Tuesday, June 22nd, 1948, an order will be made for the sale of the whole, or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts; and it is further ordered that this notice be published in some newspaper in Pettis Couuty, this State for four weeks prior to said date.

Attest: A true copy from the Record.
(Seal) J. E. SMITH,
Judge and Ex-Officio Clerk or Probate Court, Pettis County, Missouri.
5-21, 5-28, 6-4, 6-11

**IN THE PROBATE COURT**

STATE OF MISSOURI)
(SS.
COUNTY OF PETTIS )

Be it remembered, that on Saturday, May 15th, 1948, the same being the sixth day of the regular May Term, 1948 of said Court, the following among other proceedings was had before said Court and entered of record, to-wit:

**Order of Publication**
Number 9781

In the matter of the Estate of Sadie Stanton Hubbard, Deceased.
Albert Hubbard, Administrator.

Albert Hubbard, Administrator of the estate of Sadie Stanton Hubbard, deceased, presents to the Court his petition, praying for an order for sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased, described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the southeast corner of Block Number Two (2) in Jackson and Montgomery's Addition to the City of Sedalia, Missouri running thence North Forty five (45) feet, thence West one hundred twenty five (125) feet, thence south forty-five (45) feet, thence East one hundred twenty five (125) feet to the place of beginning in Sedalia, Pettis County, Missouri;

as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate, and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, list, and inventories required by law in such cases.

On examination whereof it is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that application as aforesaid has been made, and that unless the contrary be shown on or before Tuesday, June 22nd, 1948, an order will be made for the sale of the whole, or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts; and it is further ordered that this notice be published in some newspaper in Pettis County, this State for four weeks prior to said date.

Attest: A true copy from the Record.
(Seal) J. E. SMITH,
Judge and Ex-Officio Clerk of Probate Court, Pettis County, Missouri.
5-21, 5-28, 6-4, 6-11

**No. 9772**
**Executor's Notice**

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of William A. Campbell, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 29th day of April, 1948, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 29th day of April, 1948.

CHARLES CAMPBELL,
Executor.

Attested by me this 29th day of April, 1948.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
5-14, 5-21, 5-28, 6-4

**No. 9768**
**Administratrix's Notice**

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Edward J Hurley, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 20th day of April 1948, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administratrix within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 20th day of April 1948.

ETTA C. HURLEY,
Administratrix.

Attested by me this 20th day of April, 1948.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
4-30, 5-7, 5-14, 5-21

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI**

Herbert W. Mason, Executor of the Estate of S. A. Snow, deceased Plaintiff
vs.
Ed Snow, Roy Bryson, Helen Bryson, Icy Beard, Violet (Viola) Snow and Harold Snow Defendants

**Order For Publication of Notice**
No. 23575

State of Missouri to the Defendants, Ed Snow, Violet (Viola) Snow and Harold Snow:

You and each of you are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court for the County of Pettis, State of Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to construe and interpret the last will of S. A. Snow, deceased, and to ascertain and determine the legal rights of the defendants and each of them in the estate of the said S. A. Snow, being administered upon in the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

The names of all parties to said suit are stated above in the caption herein and the name and address of the attorney for the plaintiff is Frank W. Hayes, 235-239 Ilgenfritz Building, Sedalia, Missouri.

You and each of you are further notified that unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within forty-five days after the 30th day of April, 1948, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Sedalia Weekly Democrat, a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Pettis and State of Missouri.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and the seal of the court this 26th day of April, 1948.

BRYAN HOWE,
(Seal) Circuit Clerk.
By Mildred Sutherlin, D. C.
4-30, 5-7, 5-14, 5-21

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI**

James P. Lamy and Eileen O'Sullivan Lamy his wife .....Plaintiffs
vs.
John McGrath, Mrs. W. T. Crain, the unknown heirs, grantees or successors of Ed Clegg, deceased, John Westermier, Hazel B. Thompson, Katie Altemueller, the unknown heirs, grantees or successor of George J. or G. J. Altemueller, deceased, John J. Miller, Cora Y. Schnare and Forrest McKenzie ..... Defendants

**Order For Publication of Notice**
No. 23578

State of Missouri: To the defendants, the unknown heirs, grantees or successors of Ed Clegg, deceased, and the unknown heirs, grantees or successors of George J. or G. J. Altemueller, deceased.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court for the County of Pettis, State of Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to ascertain and determine the estate and interest of the defendants, the unknown heirs, grantees or successors of Ed Clegg, deceased, and the unknown heirs, grantees or successors of George J. or G. J. Altemueller, deceased, severally, in and to the following described real estate and to partition the following described real estate, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of Section number 30, in township number 46 north, of range number 20 west of the Fifth Principal Meridian, thence running west along the section line to the right-of-way of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad, thence southwesterly along said right-of-way to the south line of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section number 30, thence west 44.14 chains, then south 10.71 chains, thence west to the west line of said section number 30, thence south 30.17 chains, thence east 42.35 chains, thence north 19.69 chains, thence east 39.30 chains to the east line of said section number 30, thence north 40.13 chains to the place of beginning, except 1.57 acres off of all that part of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of said section number 30 above conveyed, being that part lying east of the hedge fence running north and south through the east side of the said quarter quarter, also except the right-of-way of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad, said above described land being a part of section number 30 in township 46 north of range number 20 west of the Fifth Principal Meridian and containing 291.50 acres. Also beginning at the northeast corner of the south half of the south half of the northeast quarter of section number 25, in township number 46 north or range number 21 west of the Fifth Principal Meridian, thence running west 51 2/3 chains, thence south 30.17 chains, thence east 51 2/3 chains to the east line of said section twenty-five (25) thence north to the point of beginning containing 155.88 acres. All of the above described land containing in the aggregate 447.38 acres. All situate in Pettis County, Missouri.

The names of all parties to said suit are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for the plaintiffs is Frank W. Hayes, 235-39 Ilgenfritz Building, Sedalia, Missouri.

You and each of you are further notified that unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within forty-five (45) days after th 14th day of May, 1948, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Sedalia Weekly Democrat, a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Pettis and State of Missouri.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Court this 12th day of May, 1948.

BRYAN HOWE,
(Seal) Circuit Clerk.
By MILDRED SUTHERLIN, D. C.